THE WEATHER
Fair today and Sunday, slightly warmer; Monday fair, slight change in temperature; light westerly winds.

THE LOWELL SUN

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ST. PATRICK'S DAY

DUAL CELEBRATION

Two Big Parades Were Held in Boston

BOSTON, March 17.—A program of unusual characteristics has been arranged for the celebration today in South Boston, of the anniversary of the evacuation of Boston by the British troops. The business section of the city was very largely decorated with flags and bunting when the booming of guns on the warships outside the navy yard and from the forts in the harbor and the ringing of bells inaugurated the opening of the day's exercises. During the forenoon two parades had been arranged. Literary exercises were held in South Boston High school, when an oration was delivered by former Attorney General Herbert Parker, shortly afterwards Mayor John F. Fitzgerald officiated at breakfast of the city special evacuation day guests and large number of prominent citizens. These guests included Lieut. Gen. John C. Bates, U. S. A., Congressman William A. McNary and John A. Keliher, Rear Admiral A. S. Snow, commandant of the Charlestown navy yard, Governor Guild, Lieut. Gov. Draper, President William F. Dana of the senate, Speaker John N. Cole of the house and the commanders of the various warships in the harbor. At 10 o'clock the Bloody Blade Div. Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Warrenites and the Charlestown [illegible]

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FIREMEN KILLED

Three Buried Under Falling Roof

CAMDEN, N. J., March 17.—Three firemen were killed and three others seriously injured last night at a fire which destroyed the old Fifth regiment armory at Bridge and West streets, in this city. The dead are:

GEORGE W. SHIELDS.
WILLIAM HILLMAN
WILLIAM JONES

The fire started in the boiler room of the armory building and quickly spread to all parts of the structure. About a dozen firemen were ordered into the burning building with a line of hose and were making good progress in fighting the flames when they were warned that the roof was giving way. But before they could escape the great expanse of roof fell, burying them all under it. Shields, Hillman and Jones were crushed to death, but the others managed to follow the line of hose and escaped after most of them had been seriously lacerated and burned. The injured were removed to the Cooper hospital.

A general alarm was rounded and after a great effort the flames were confined to the armory which was entirely destroyed.

The building had been abandoned years ago by the Sixth regiment and had since been occupied by various firms. The total loss is estimated at between $[illegible] and $75,000.

All lovers of Ireland's own Parnell are going to New M. T. I. hall tonight.

DEATHS

BERGERON—Mrs. Aquilas Bergeron, aged 30 years, 5 months, died yesterday at her residence, 4 Livaller place. She leaves a husband and four small children.

Entrancing Irish Airs, New M. T. I. hall, Dutton st., tonight—25 cents.

As smooth as velvet and as rich as cream

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HONEST 10 CIGAR

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The TRADERS NATIONAL BANK
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Y. M. C. I. DRAMA

Irish Play Presented Last Night

"Shamus Bogue," an Irish drama in four acts, was presented by the Y. M. C. I. Dramatic company before a large and enthusiastic audience in the Immaculate Conception hall last night.

The scene of the play is laid [illegible] in Ireland. Sir Robert Forbes is the owner of the [illegible] estate located nearby in the Irish [illegible] and commanded by Col. Dixon. The part of the owner is very well taken by Mr. Thomas Fox, and the part of the colonel is taken in good style by Mr. Edward McArdell. Mr. [illegible] Leary as Capt. Ralph Forbes, [illegible] the Lt. Lowndes, created a very favorable impression in his part. The lady Phil Staff, a typical Irish belle, was in character taken by Albert Moulton, who deserves much credit for his delineation.

Miss Katherine McDonough as Moya Moore, daughter of Denis Moore, [illegible] the leading lady role. Part I. [illegible] contributors musical: Miss Alice Bagley as Helen Edgar, [illegible] Col. Dixon, played her [illegible] Miss Julia Tyson and Miss [illegible] Chalona.

Together with the acts there were [illegible] by Mr. [illegible] of Andover, Mr. A. [illegible], Mr. [illegible] Mr. Martin Morgan, Mr. [illegible] Alice Bagley, Miss Mabel Lee, Miss Katherine McDonough, assisted by a large chorus.

The committee in charge of the entertainment were John F. [illegible], James Lynch, George F. [illegible], J. J. Sullivan, Michael Cleary and Patrick McCarthy.

Prizes for the young people were awarded during the evening as follows: First for girls, Gertrude Duffy, 21 Alder street; second, Margaret Rooney, 117 Pale street; first for boys, Paul Chaplin, 55 Parker street; second, George Lechasky, 28 Andover street.

At the end of the performance a very pretty tableau was presented by Miss Mabel Lee, representing Ireland, while Miss Katherine McDonough sang "Ireland, I Love You."

ACCIDENT CASES.

Ames Rognas, a foundry employe, had his left ankle strained while at work yesterday, and was taken to his home in the ambulance. He lives at 189 Market street.

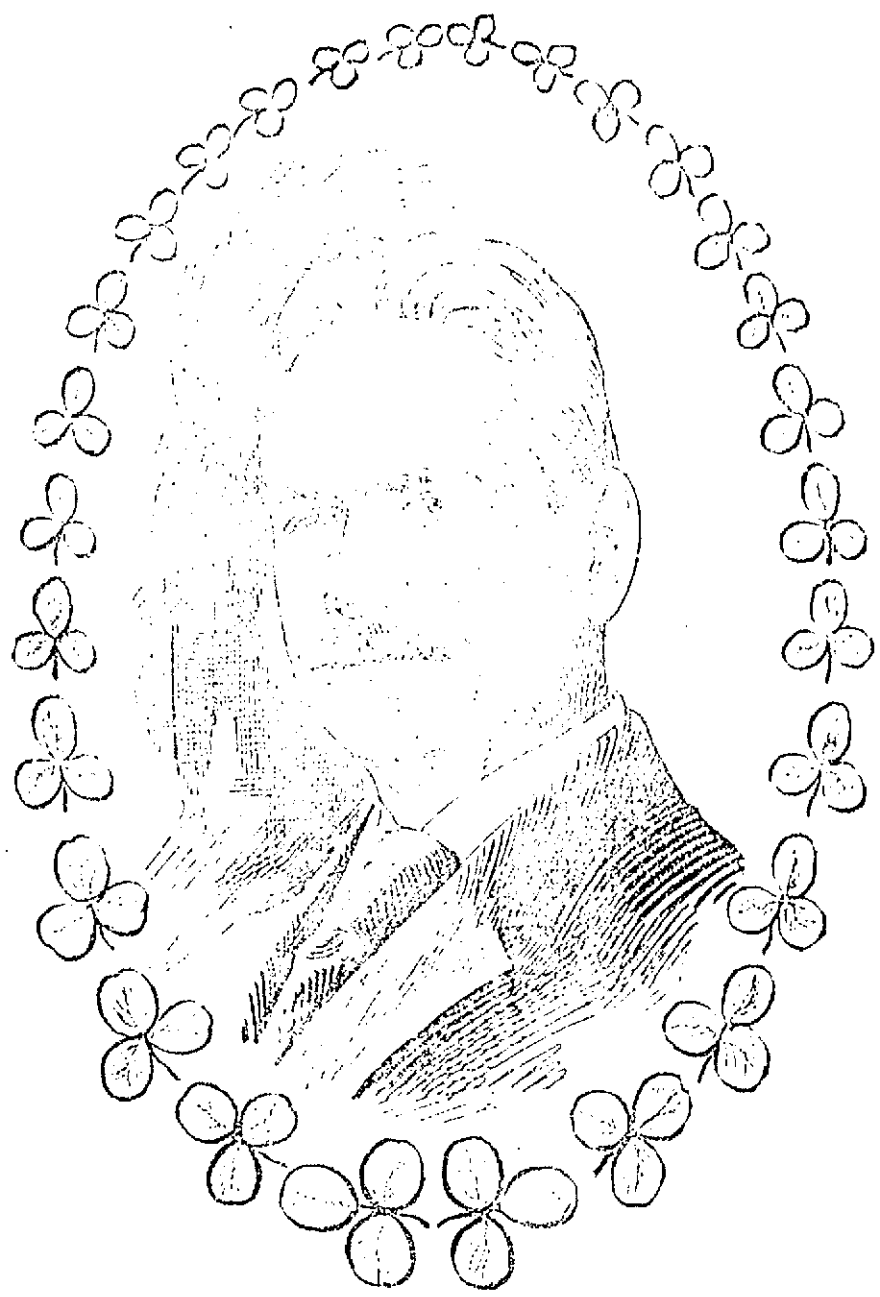
Peter Coyle, living at 98 Common street, fell from a ladder yesterday afternoon and fractured his hip. The ambulance removed him to the Lowell hospital.

Alfred Shute sustained a severe injury to one finger and several minor bruises while loading a derrick yesterday afternoon. He was taken in the ambulance to the Lowell hospital.

El-AZHAR SPRING WATER

F. D. Mann & Son, G. G. Reed, Russell & Boynton, Rand-It Grocery Co., J. B. Richardson & Sons, H. W. Locke.

Grand Observance of the Festival in Lowell



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[illegible] Patrick [illegible] a grand and [illegible] which Chief Marshal [illegible] opened and [illegible] the parade and all the supplementary features of the day's observance. The participants in the parade [illegible] Irishmen of other nationalities [illegible] unique feature scarcely known in any previous celebration of the day. It was a gratifying sign of the [illegible] good feeling existing among the different denominations and nationalities and for giving this spirit of friendship and fraternity a distinct and [illegible] impetus by this celebration Chief Marshal O'Sullivan deserves the gratitude of all classes.

For weeks past the great majority of those interested in the [illegible] to the weather, and [illegible] weather had been such [illegible] to say that every intending participant got out of bed at dawn and [illegible] his curtains to view the [illegible] consolatory exclamation, "Fine [illegible] Morn." It was indeed a glorious morn, and the sign of a cloud [illegible] in the clear sky while the [illegible] sunshine promised an ideal day. Upon this subject alone there was general rejoicing for the many unfavorable weather would greatly mar the success of the celebration. It seemed as if everything favored the plans of the chief marshal.

The great interest in the celebration [illegible]

[illegible] was rounded [illegible] who took [illegible] conference [illegible] Chief H. Brooks [illegible] the start [illegible] when [illegible] the [illegible] into line. At [illegible] decided to [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] women waved their [illegible] proved to wing his [illegible] It was a great ovation.

Most of the visiting companies [illegible] the Middlesex street station [illegible] formally received by Chief of Staff Hourke or some official or delegate appointed by him for that purpose. The military companies that had the time to spare went to the armory and the Hibernian lodges from Manchester, Nashua and other places where [illegible] time went to the hotels assigned them after the parade, where they enjoyed the interval awaiting the start of the parade.

On the streets adjoining the North Common soon were filled with mounted men and marching companies moving to their respective positions in the line. It resembled the marshaling of the armies before some great battle such as Gettysburg when John Boru drove the Danes into the sea, but Chief Marshal O'Sullivan was no Brian of today in a grand military and civic pageant whose aim is peace and good will.

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For addition c news of the celebration see second edition.

TWO MEN KILLED

Bad Train Wreck at West Windham, N. H.

WEST WINDHAM, N. H., March [illegible] — [illegible]

[illegible]

MCLEAN [illegible]

TEMPLE [illegible]

[illegible]

SPECIAL SERVICES

Held in the Churches This Morning

[illegible]

SACRED HEART

PROGRAM CARRIED OUT BY THE SCHOOL CHILDREN

[illegible]

WAS DROWNED

TELEGRAPH OPERATOR LOST HIS LIFE IN MYSTIC LAKE.

MEDFORD, March 17.—John J. [illegible], aged 45, a well-known telegraph operator, was drowned last night shortly after 6 o'clock in Mystic lake, despite the efforts of his brother Joseph to save him.

Both were out in a boat spearing eels. The craft was looking [illegible] when the occupants realized it was [illegible] full. They began to bail but the water poured rapidly and the boat suddenly tipped and sank.

WAS STABBED

BRITISH SAILOR KILLED IN A BARROOM.

GENOA, March 17.—A sailor belonging to the British battleship Bulwark was killed yesterday by stabbing after a quarrel in a barroom with several foreigners, including members of Buffalo Bill's Wild West company. One of the latter, called Davis, was arrested, but his culpability has not yet been established.

LINCOLN CLUB SMOKE TALK.

There was a delightful smoke talk and entertainment at the rooms of the Lincoln club last evening. President James McDowell was master of ceremonies. The program included a duet by the Temple quartet; trio by Martin Maguire, Thomas Poole and Frank Golden, song by Michael Gorman; clog dance by Edward Smith and Arthur Ferrin; song by Albert Hoyle; song by Lyman Richard, recitation by James Cottrell. The club will have a minstrel show and dance on the evening of April 19.

MR. MARION

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PENTUCKET ANNIVERSARY.

Arrangements have been completed for the 50th anniversary of Pentucket lodge, F. A. M. The exercises will be held at 7 o'clock Thursday evening.

Worshipful Master B. W. Clements, Senior Warden Frank W. Hall and Junior Warden George F. Howes, will have charge of the exercises. The officers of the lodge are: Worshipful Brother Avery P. Clark, treasurer; Eulalia A. Derby, secretary; Rev. Geo. C. Wright and D. R. Wallace, chaplains; William B. Foster, marshal; Milo W. Hale, Jr., and Martin J. Kirkby, senior and junior deacons; Frank D. Proctor and H. T. B. Richardson, senior and junior stewards; James Hunt, inside sentinel; Irvin A. Sloane, organist; Worshipful Brother Frank K. Stearns, tyler.

Send your nerves to the moon!

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

BEERS' PENSION

Judge Hornblower Defends His Approval

WAS ASSAILED BY HAMILTON

An Explanation of the Plan

NEW YORK, March 16.—Former Judge William B. Hornblower last night defended his original approval of the Beers pension plan which was assailed by Andrew Hamilton when the latter appeared before the legislative insurance committee at Albany yesterday. In the course of his remarks in which he declared that his transaction with the late John A. Beers was sanctioned by the trustees of the New York Life Insurance Co. Mr. Hamilton took occasion to criticize the author of the Beers pension plan, whom he referred to as the "head of three administrations which makes him the Talleyrand of the present one; the confidant of the Beers family." He did not mention any names in this connection.

The matter of the Beers pension was this:

When Beers retired as head of the company back in the early '80's the board of trustees voted him a pension, said to have been something like $20,000 a year. A question as to whether the pension was legal was referred to Mr. Hornblower and other eminent counsel.

After reading Mr. Hamilton's speech in full last night, Mr. Hornblower issued the following statement:

"So far as Judge Hamilton states or implies that I disbursed any legislative funds during the Beers administration by statement or implication is absolutely untrue. My professional relation to Beers administration was entirely confined to litigation and legal advice. I never even appeared before a legislative committee but once so far as I can recollect and then simply to make an argument before the insurance committee in opposition to a pending bill. Not a dollar of the company's money ever passed through my hands for legislative or any other purposes.

"So far as Judge Hamilton states or implies that I was aware of his disbursing moneys for the company or receiving moneys not accounted for as found by the Fowler committee, such statements or implications are absolutely untrue.

"I decline to discuss at the present time the merits or demerits of the so-called Beers pension plan. I was a member of the board of trustees when it was adopted and advised and concurred in it. I believed it at the time to be a just, legal and valid contract.

"That he had received moneys for so-called real estate account, legislative matters and other matters for which he never accounted, I had no knowledge whatever.

"I do not propose to discuss with Judge Hamilton his offensive epithets. I do not feel it necessary to defend myself against such abuse."

PASSENGERS

WILL BE ABLE TO CONTINUE THEIR JOURNEY.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Passengers on the steamer Kenilworth Luise which was towed into Halifax with a broken rudder stock and was expected to be delayed there for about a week will be able to continue their voyage to Genoa in the steamers Wehmar and Gneisenau. The North German Lloyd Co. which owns the injured steamer announced today that the Wehmar will be sent to Halifax to take off the steerage passengers on the Kenilworth Luise and such of the cabin passengers as desire to be transferred and will go direct to Genoa. The Wehmar is due to arrive here today. The steamer Gneisenau now in port here will take on board any of the passengers who desire to go to their destination by way of Bremen and thence to Genoa by rail.

TWO MISSING

BOSTON FISHING SCHOONER LOST TWO OF CREW.

BOSTON, March 16.—The fishing schooner Lucania, Captain Martin Welsh, which arrived today reported Rufus Morlay and Joseph Morris, two members of her crew missing. Captain Welsh said the men went adrift a week ago today during a dense fog on Georges bank. As there were a number of other schooners on the grounds, Captain Welsh has hopes that his men were picked up by some other schooner.

THREE YEARS

SON OF GENERAL ISMAELOFF SENTENCED.

ODESSA, March 16.—A son of Gen. Ismaeloff was condemned here today to three years imprisonment for publicly spreading proclamations among soldiers exhorting them to betray their country.

$50,000 FIRE IN TORONTO.

TORONTO, Ont., March 16.—The premises and stock of Grand & Toy, wholesale stationers, on Wellington street were damaged by fire and water last night to the extent of $50,000, insurance $12,000.

SYRUP OF PINE AND TAR
25c Bottle
Will cure that Cough.
CARTER & SHERBURNE'S
Drug Store
In the Waiting Room.

DREW BIG CROWD

N. E. Club Women Braved the Storm

Note defiance the storm crowds of Lowell's club women attended the bazaar of the State Federation of Clubs at Horticultural hall. No end of enthusiasm has been displayed during the two days the bazaar has been in progress, and the profits have been larger even than was expected.

Yesterday morning the restaurant was opened in the basement of the building, with Mrs. Mary W. Everholder of Wellesley Hills in charge. Here, from 10 in the morning until closing time at night, a table d'hote dinner is served, or a lunch if that is preferred.

The various out-of-town clubs planned to bring large parties to our city during the week and attend the entertainments in the palm garden in the evening.

Yesterday afternoon there was a musical entertainment under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the Massachusetts Civil Service association. The numbers were contributed by Mrs. Amos, Mrs. Shaw, Miss Ione, the Jr. Coughlin and Mr. Doody. Mr. Joseph Tinker Smith gave some of his monologues with musical accompaniments by Miss Jessie Davis.

In the evening a concert was given by the Cecilian club. The program included harp selections by Miss French. Others who took part were Miss Alice Eldridge, Miss Helen Tufts, Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter, Miss Anna Florence Smith, Mrs. Florence Harrington, Mr. Richard Tobin, Mr. Howard Elliot and Mrs. C. L. Milliken.

The flower booth, which is the extreme end of the Italian garden, is a striking feature of the bazaar. It is presided over by Mrs William P. Shreve of Brookline, who has received a number of generous contributions of flowers from Mrs. Joseph White and Mrs. Oliver Ames of North Easton and from the Clover club.

The art gallery is still another great attraction, and here from 4 to 5 o'clock every afternoon tea is served from two big Russian samovars. The hostesses yesterday afternoon were Mrs. Mary Abbe Ward and Miss Anna D. West, assisted by members of the hospitality committee, of which Mrs. Nella D. Doggett is chairman.

GAS KILLED HIM

Inventor Asphyxiated at Providence, R. I.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 16.—Illuminating gas claimed another victim here today in Jeremiah Keith, aged 61, an inventor, who was found scarcely breathing by neighbors who had noticed a strong odor of gas emanating from his apartments. He expired before the arrival of a physician. The asphyxiation is believed to have resulted from accident. Keith leaves a widow and daughter, who are visiting in Washington, N. C., and a son.

NOT RESPONSIBLE

Plea of Insanity for Alleged Murderer

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 16.—The defense was opened today at the trial of John Schildfoski on the charge of murder, when Lawyer Philip H. Sullivan in a brief address to the jury that Schildfoski had made no effort to conceal the evidence of his crime and argued that this showed that the defendant was mentally irresponsible. Mr. Sullivan claimed that if Schildfoski had been in his proper mind, he would have remembered that workmen would have gone to the golf links and that evidence of his crime would have been discovered immediately. When the attorney had concluded Schildfoski was placed on the stand to testify in his own behalf.

Schildfoski said he came to this country from Russia. He remembered falling off a bicycle and hurting himself, but he could not remember what part of his body had been hurt. He said he married his wife about three years ago in Brockton. The government testimony was that the defendant had been married last year. He described the excessive drinking habits of both himself and wife during the married life. Schildfoski testified that both he and his wife went to Belmont and drank heavily on the night of the crime. He recalled that they had words, and testified that she kicked him. The next thing he knew was several hours after when he awoke and found his coat and vest gone.

The next thing he realized he was in Chicago. He did not remember, he said, that he had confessed to the police that he had murdered his wife.

MORE TROUBLE

AT THE PEACEDALE MANUFACTURING CO.

PEACEDALE, R. I., March 16.—Fresh difficulties developed at the Peacedale Manufacturing Co. mill today when ten of the weavers recently secured to take the places of the striking operatives, failed to come to work. This defection, it is claimed, arises from the fact that the company agreed to pay them $18 per week and that when their pay was received yesterday eight dollars had been taken out, this being the expense incurred by the corporation in bringing them to this village from their former places of residence.

Ten drawers-in who returned to work on Wednesday were also absentees from the mill on account of a ten per cent. decrease in their wage schedule which was announced yesterday to go into effect immediately.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Miles Burns of Chase street, who was operated on at the Lowell General hospital, Wednesday, is reported as recovering rapidly from the operation.

Rev. William Grant of South Boston formerly of St. Peter's church, Lowell renewed acquaintances here Wednesday.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITION

BUSINESS MEN

Will Meet With Board of Trade

The board of trade will hold a meeting at its rooms next Tuesday evening to which it extends an invitation to all the business men of the city to attend as it will be of more than ordinary importance.

At the meeting papers will be read by William F. Hills of the Traders National bank, and Henry H. Smith of the State Mutual Life Insurance Co. on Practical Suggestions for Business Lovers. Each paper will be in two parts, Mr. Hills' subjects being "Fake and Grafting Advertising" and "Slow Pay and No Pay Customers," while Mr. Smith will speak on "Credit Endorsement" and "Factory Building."

AT ST. MICHAEL'S

Pupils Held St. Patrick's Day Entertainment

The children of St. Michael's parochial school observed St. Patrick's day this afternoon, each grade contributing to the program. St. Michael's school among its other studies gives attention to the study of Irish history and the children of the upper grades are quite advanced in this branch. The statement recently made at the St. Patrick's day convention to the effect that Irish history is taught only in the Sacred Heart school was therefore erroneous.

PROGRAM.

The program was as follows:

First Primary Grade

Chorus, Hibernia's Saint All Hail.
Recitation, The Story of the Shamrock.
Master Edwards
Chorus, All Praise to St. Patrick

Second Grade.

Chorus, Minstrel Boy, (Boys.)
Recitation, The Shamrock
Rose Heath.
Chorus, The Exile of Erin, (Girls.

Third Grade

Chorus, This Day Little Shamrock
Recitation, Only a Bunch of Shamrocks,
Mary F. O'Rourke.
Chorus, The Wearing of the Green.
Recitation, St. Patrick's Dying Prayer.

Fourth Grade.

Song, Erin is My Home, (Boys.)
Chorus, Paddy's Day, (Girls.)
Recitation, Gift From Ireland,
J. Mullarkey, W. McCarty.
Song, Flag of the Brave.

Fifth Grade (Boys.)

Hymn, Faith of our Fathers, (Class.)
Recitation, "Ireland's Feast Day,"
W. McKenna, P. Tooley, R. Costello, J. Quinn, A. Lanthier, J. Sullivan, V. Tristam, E. Farrell.
Chorus, "Handful of Earth."
Recitation "Erin Dear Erin,"
Walter Mann.
Chorus, My own Dear Ireland.
Recitation, "Erin's Flag."
Patrick Flannery.
Song, "Tara's Hall," (Class.)
Recitation, "My Emerald Island Home."
John Sargent.

Fifth Grade (Girls.)

Reading, Birthday of St. Patrick.
Nellie Connors.
Chorus, When Erin Flings Her Flag on High
Recitation, Too Clever.
M. Riley, N. Delaney.

Sixth and seventh grades

Recitation, "The Day of the Gael,"
Boys of the Classes.
Chorus, "'Tis St. Patrick's Day."
Recitation, "A Bunch of Shamrocks."
Girls of the Classes.
Song, "Meeting of the Waters."
Essay, "The Youth of St. Patrick."
James McNally.
Chorus, "The Minstrel Boy."

Eighth and ninth grades

Violin Duo, "Wearing of the Green,"
Martin Cordingly and Lawrence Connors
Essay, "Life of St. Patrick."
Joseph Riley.
Chorus, "Erin over the Sea."
Recitation, "God Save All Here,"
Margaret Martin.
Solo, "Last Words of Robert Emmett,"
Harold Meehan.
Essay, "The Irish in America."
Edward Ryan.
Instrumental Duet, "The Sleigh-ride,"
Helen Reynolds and Helen Moore.
Recitation, "Shamrocks,"
Mary Sorensen.
Chorus, "The Harp that Once,"
By class with violin accompaniment.

At the close of the exercises the pastor, Rev. J. J. Shaw, addressed the classes with words of praise and encouragement, and told them to be always faithful to the faith which St. Patrick had planted in the hearts of their forefathers. He told them to try to imitate the noble saint whom they were honoring and thus be true Christians and loyal men and women of their country.

HIGHLAND CLUB

HELD A DELIGHTFUL SMOKE TALK LAST EVENING.

A delightful smoke talk and vaudeville performance with a most palatable German lunch as a special feature was held at the Highland club, last evening, and despite the rough weather there was a large attendance and those who put in an appearance were amply repaid for the entertainment was one of the most enjoyable in the history of the club.

MATRIMONIAL

A quiet wedding occurred Tuesday evening, March 14, at the home of the bride, 1 Tweed's court, when Mrs. Sadie E. Smith and Mrs. James A. Macaulay were united in marriage by the Rev. H. G. Dockrill of the West Fifth street church.

SHOWN TO CELL

Man Said Nance O'Neil Would Bail Him

"My name is John Cyrus O'Neil Coughlin and if Nancy knew I was here I'd be bailed out inside of twenty minutes." Thus spoke a man who was arrested for drunkenness this forenoon.

"Who is Nancy?" asked Messenger Pindar.

"Nancy O'Neil, the fine actress. God bless her," said the man with the jag.

"Do you think she would go your bail?"

"I don't think it at all, I know it."

"But she's across the water, now."

"Yes, but I could do like Mr. O'Sullivan did with King Edward. I could cable her."

"I suppose you could."

"There's no supposing at all about it, I know I could. That's the trouble with you fellows 'round here, you're all the time supposing. That's about all you are able to do, is to suppose.

"By the way I had an experience in Chelmsford a few days ago that I would like to tell you about. I was blasting rock for an old man Emerson and when engaged in that work I always carry a few pounds of dynamite or nitro-glycerine in my pocket. You might think it was rather early for snakes to put in an appearance but the winter has been so mild that the snakes have ventured out.

"The other day I came across a large black snake coiled around my dinner pail. There's no doubt about it he was trying to swallow my dinner pail. I attacked him with a club and gave him a terrific blow on the back. Suddenly there was an explosion that blew the snake and the dinner pail to pieces, and very nearly made mincemeat of me. It knocked me several feet and wedged my head in between two forks of a tree and I was feeling so weak when I extricated myself that I proceeded to get drunk and that's why I'm here. I discovered, however, that the snake swallowed a dynamite cartridge."

"Do you think you'll see him again this afternoon?" asked Mr. Pindar.

"See what?"

"The snake."

"Stop jollying. I'm giving you the straight goods and you can use what I've told you as a basis for an anti-snake discovery."

After John Cyrus O'Neil Coughlin had relieved himself of the snake story he was shown to a cell and as the door closed upon him he asked Mr. Pindar to find out how much it would cost to reach Nance O'Neil by cable.

THE STORM

CAUSED POSTPONEMENT OF INSPECTION TRIP.

It was the intention of the committee on streets to make a tour of inspection this afternoon, but owing to the heavy fall of snow the different sidewalks and streets to be viewed are covered with snow, and the view has been postponed.

O. M. I. CADETS

Will be Allowed to Carry Arms Tomorrow

Governor Guild today granted permission to the O. M. I. Cadets to carry imitation arms in the St. Patrick's day parade. It will be remembered that about one week ago Rep. Timothy S. Murphy petitioned the governor and the adjutant general for the right of the Cadets to carry arms in the parade. The adjutant general approved the petition and today the governor sent for Rep. Murphy and said that he had decided to give his consent to the Cadets to carry imitation arms.

DROPPED DEAD

Two Horses Passed Away Suddenly

A valuable horse belonging to Harry Shedd of South Lowell, dropped dead in Prescott street this forenoon. He slipped on the car track, fell and expired almost immediately. He was removed to the Lowell Rendering company's plant. It is believed that the horse died of heart disease but it has been said that a disease known as "black water," which is prevalent among horses in Lowell at the present time. The disease proves fatal in almost every case.

A horse driven by a peddler dropped dead in School street yesterday. The carcass was removed in the rendering company's horse ambulance and at the company's office this afternoon a reporter of The Sun asked what caused the death of the horse in School street and the one in Prescott street. He was told that the cause of death had not been discovered.

STATE AID

COUNCILLOR PETERSON WILL GET THE LIST

Hubert M. Potter, superintendent of state aid, this morning submitted to Mayor Casey, a list of the names, ages and residences of persons receiving state and military aid and soldiers' relief. The mayor will turn this list over to Councillor Peterson who requested the mayor to secure it.

The list will not be made public unless some irregularities are discovered.

THE ARCHBISHOP

Cannot Take Part in Big Parade

Chief Marshal Humphrey O'Sullivan of the St. Patrick's Day parade has received the following telegram from Archbishop William H. O'Connell:

Portland, Me., March 16, 1906.

Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, Chief Marshal St. Patrick's Day Parade, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:

Nothing short of the impossible would prevent me from participating in the Lowell parade, St. Patrick's Day, but I regret to say it will be utterly impossible for me to go.

WILLIAM H. O'CONNELL.

THE MAYOR

APPROVED ORDER FOR MORE LAND FOR ARMORY.

Mayor Casey has signed the joint order passed by the city council, dedicating the land on the westerly side of the state armory in Wotford street for armory purposes.

This land was not purchased by the city for armory purposes, therefore it became necessary for a joint order to be introduced and passed by the city council in order to make the additions and alterations to that building.

REAL ESTATE

FOR THE WEEK ENDING ON MARCH 16, 1906.

LOWELL.

Arthur G. Beharrell to Bertha H. Beharrell, land with buildings on Harris avenue, $1.

Jesse L. Shepard to George E. Evans, land with buildings on Rogers street, $1.

Joseph N. Marston to William B. Spedding, land with buildings on Bridge street, $1.

Joseph N. Marston to Andrew C. Wheelock, The Marston block on Middlesex street, $1.

Herman Alonzo Sawnerfeln to Anton and Anna A. Nystrom, land with buildings on Rea street, $1.

Eugene G. Russell to Frank P. Nichols, land with buildings on Parker and Rhodora streets, $1.

William A. Mack to Charles A. Sherburn, trustee, land on 7th avenue, $1.

Adelaide Wallingford to Andrew P. Gibson, land with buildings on Osgood street, $1.

DRACUT.

James Stuart Murphy to Hermidas Menuier, land at Brookside, $1.

TEWKSBURY.

Geo. H. Morse to Margaret E. Buck, land at Fair View, $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Laura G. Hoyt to Frank S. Perkins, land on road from Lowell to Westford, $1.

Mary A. Emerson to Elizabeth L. Sanderson, land with buildings on Putnam avenue, $1.

BILLERICA.

Louis Emond to Henri Boisvert, land on Chelmsford and Billerica road, $1.

Simeon J. Burton to Lillian A. Duren, land on the Salem road, $1.

Harlow Colby to Albert H. Jones, land on the Boston road, $1.

WILMINGTON.

Jacob W. Wilder to Eva Gilbert, land at Silverlake Park, $1.

Lawrence C. Swain to Winfred A. Harper, land on Shawsheen avenue, $1.

WESTFORD.

Geo. H. Grey to Frank C. Beharrell, the Carkin land, $1.

UNKNOWN CHILD

Was Buried in the Edson Cemetery

The unknown child whose death was reported from the city hospital two days ago was buried by Undertaker O'Donnell & Son in the Edson cemetery this afternoon. At the office of the undertaker it was learned that the child was buried as an unknown. "It was stated in one of the local papers," said Mr. O'Donnell, "that the child had been identified. We were not apprised of that fact officially, however, and the child was buried as an unknown."

GREASED PIG

AGENT RICHARDSON CALLED A HALT.

A chase for a greased pig was on the cards at the Elite last night but at the last moment Agent Richardson of the Humane society, stepped in and spoiled the program arranged. All was ready for the chase when the agent announced that he would arrest the management if the chase was put on, so the only thing to do was to call it off and two relay races were substituted. These furnished great fun for the spectators.

Don't Wait

For Spring to come, but take Hood's Sarsaparilla now. It will do you good. The heavier living and closer confinement of the winter, the effects of colder, damp, changeable weather on the pores of the skin and the harder work of this season are beginning to tell on you. Hood's Sarsaparilla, taken just at this time, will give your system just what it needs and must have, and will help you over this hard spot—the bare ground, as it were—and quite likely save you from a serious illness later. "A stitch in time saves nine" is a wise old saw, hence we repeat, Don't wait, but begin to take Hood's Sarsaparilla now. It purifies and enriches the blood, strengthens the stomach, improves the appetite, and gives health and strength. It effects radical and permanent cures of all blood, stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Today buy and begin to take

"Putnam, Conn., Jan. 17, 1906.

"My confidence in Hood's Sarsaparilla is established by much experience. I take it regularly every spring and think it just what every one needs for a good blood purifier and tonic. One winter I had serious palpitation of the heart, sick headache, that extreme tired feeling. Could not sleep nights, nervous system seemed unstrung. On taking Hood's all these bad symptoms disappeared. I am well and my weight has increased from 149 to 178 pounds." MRS. F. H. ANDREWS, R. F. D. No. 2.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

SPECIAL.—To meet the wishes of those who prefer medicine in tablet form, we are now putting up Hood's Sarsaparilla in chocolate-coated tablets as well as in the usual liquid form. By reducing Hood's Sarsaparilla to a solid extract, we have retained in the tablets the curative properties of every medicinal ingredient

Sold by druggists or sent by mail. 100 doses one dollar. C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

GAS COMPANIES

Is Accused of Violating the Statues

BOSTON, March 16.—Charging that they had violated the statutes relative to the standard of gas, the gas commissioners today referred to Attorney General Malone the names of Malden and Melrose Gas Light company and the Gardner Gas, Fuel and Light company. It is alleged that the former company had disregarded the law by using an excessive amount of ammonia in the manufacture of its gas and the Gardner company by using sulphretted hydrogen.

On the ground that they had neglected to make their annual returns in the time required by the law, the commissioners referred to the attorney-general the names of the town of Belmont, Millers Falls and Reading and of the following companies: Block Plant Electric Light; Cape Light, Heat and Power Co.; Chicopee Gas Light; Dedham and Hyde Park Gas and Electric; East Boston Gas; Gardner Gas, Fuel and Light; Peoples Gas and Electric; Rawson Light and Power, and South Hadley Gas.

BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to Feb. 19, 1906.

Trains leave Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.48, 6.28, *6.39, x6.47, w6.50, 7.01, 7.21, 7.31, *7.48, 7.52, w*8.00, *8.23, *8.49, w9.25, *9.33, w10.54, 11.07, *11.38 a. m.; w12.07, 12.12, w12.47, *1.40, w2.25, 2.51, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.28, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.12, w7.00, *7.31, w9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS 6.39, 7.21, w8.15, 8.48, 9.25, 10.30 a. m., w12.10, 2.33, w3.55, 5.10, w5.55, *6.15, *7.31, w8.45.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, x7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.54 a. m.; w12.07, 1.26, w2.25, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.30, xw11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, w8.15 a. m.; w12.10, w5.35, 8.45 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.42, a2.25, a3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, x7.31, 8.53, 9.25, w10.54 a. m.; 12.07, 1.26, w2.25, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, x11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.32, 8.45 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.07, 2.25, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.07, 1.26, 2.25, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.35 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.07, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS 5.35 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco and Portland, 6.28, x7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 1.26, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.35 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30, a. m.; 1.26, 5.06 p. m.; SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.35 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 1.26, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 5.35 p. m.

For Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 1.26 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor and Belfast, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 6.28, a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland) on Monday at 1.26 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.07 a. m.; 2.51, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 2.25 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg Divisions, 7.07, 11.55, a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For stations on W. N. & P. Division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.01 a. m. (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.01 a. m.; 1.09, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.01 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS to Hillsboro 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.01, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 12.00, 12.23, 1.00, *1.39, 3.40, *4.44 (to Nashua only), *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02, 10.39 a. m.; 12.00, 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; b*12.00, *1.39, (to Franklin only) 5.20, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont Line, *9.39 a. m.; b*12.00, *8.10 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, b*10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth), *b9.10 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, b*10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec via Plymouth and C. P. R., b*10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m. (daily except Saturdays.)

References:

x Wednesday and Saturday.
w Via Western division.
a Via Wakefield Junction.
* Express. b Daily.

THE JEWS

HAVE BEEN ORDERED TO LEAVE VLADIVOSTOK.

VLADIVOSTOK, Russia, March 16.—The Jews here have been ordered to leave the city in three days.

DEATHS

TITCOMB—Died in this city, March 14, at the home of his parents, George O. and Addie E., 19 Eighth ave., Chester C. Titcomb, aged 4 years, 1 month and nine days. Funeral services will be held from the home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

CIVIL SERVICE

BILL TO ALLOW APPEAL TO BOARD OF ARBITRATION.

BOSTON, March 16.—With three members dissenting, the committee on public service of the state legislature today reported a bill to provide that any person, employed under the civil service who is removed and who is dissatisfied with the ruling made in his case may then resort appeal to the state board of arbitration and conciliation, whose decision shall be final. The dissenting members are Senator Stevens and Representatives Norcross and Coyle.

THE IVERNIA

RODE OUT THE GALE OFF BOSTON LIGHT.

BOSTON, March 16.—After riding out the gale off Boston light last night, the Cunard liner Ivernia from Liverpool, arrived at her pier today. She experienced a rough trip across. She brought in 36 saloon, 160 second and 1,530 steerage passengers. Among the latter were a number of Danes suspected to be some of the 700 criminals recently pardoned by the king of Denmark. They are being held by the immigration officers and will be given a careful examination before being allowed to land.

PROF BATTINGILL DEAD.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 16.—Prof. P. A. Pattingill one of the University of Michigan's veteran professors and the faculty representative of Michigan in all athletic matters for a number of years, died today.

COOPER CASE

STATE WILL TAKE UP ITS SIDE SATURDAY.

AUGUSTA, Me., March 16.—The jury impannelled to try Mrs. Alice F. Cooper on the charge of the murder for the alleged shooting of Charles D. Northey Jr., last October went to South Windsor today to view Mrs. Cooper's home, the scene of the alleged crime. The party returned to this city during the afternoon. The trial will be resumed tomorrow morning when the states case will be opened.

STEEL TRUST

NET EARNINGS WERE INCREASED $46,611,136.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The pamphlet report of the United States Steel corporation for the year ended Dec. 31, shows that the company's gross receipts were $555,331,736, an increase of $140,926,206. The net earnings were $119,797,658, an increase of $46,611,136.

SEVERAL DEAD

TRAIN SAID TO HAVE FALLEN OFF EMBANKMENT.

CHICAGO, March 16.—A train on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad is said to have fallen off an embankment in the northwest part of the city. Several men are reported killed or seriously injured.

THE PACKERS CASE.

CHICAGO, March 16.—Mr. Rosenthal continued his argument today in the packers' case.

Judge Humphrey announced today that he would probably hold court on Saturday in order to push the case through.

BURNED TO DEATH

Several Perished in Fire Near Grand Rapids, Mich.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 16.—The business part of the village of Tustin, Oscceola county, was destroyed early today by a fire, which started in the basement of the Hotel Congdon from a defective furnace. Ten guests escaped in their night clothes while four were burned to death.

The dead

WILLIAM H. McCRANE proprietor of the hotel

MRS. WM. H. McCRANE

EDWARD DEMOREST, porter

CHARLES WORKMAN, travelling man of Pierson

The financial loss is about $22,000.

SPEAKER CANNON

Criticized On Floor of the House

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Before proceeding with the legislative bill the house today considered a bill permitting the leasing of 5000 acres of arid lands in La Plata county, Colo., to the P. F. C. Rubber Co. for the purpose of the cultivation of the rubber plant.

Mr. Brooks (Colo.) explained that there was evidence of a rubber famine in this country. The land in question, he said, was unfit for agricultural purposes and had no mineral value.

Mr. Gaines (Tenn.) proposed an amendment to prevent the "rubber trust" from getting control of the enterprise.

Mr. Shackelford (Mo.) was given permission to discuss the bill and began to criticize Speaker Cannon regarding the statehood question. He was stopped before he had proceeded far and the objection was fatal to further consideration of the bill. Before referring to the statehood matter, Mr. Shackelford had this to say about the manner in which Mr. Brooks got his bill up:

"The gentleman was not recognized until he had first surrendered his constitutional rights as a representative of the people and crept into your private room, Mr. Speaker, there to supplicate you to extend to him your grace.

"No member can submit any matter to a vote of the house until he shall have first sought and found favor in your sight. The constitution contemplates that the speaker shall be the servant of the public. In defiance of the constitution you have made yourself its master.

"You have packed every committee so that no bill can be reported without your consent. Unless you are willing no member can move to discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and take it up in the house.

"You sit, all enthroned deposit, subjecting the rights and destinies of this great people to the dictates of your unbridled will.

"Who stands today between a progressive, enlightened people and the statehood to which they are entitled, you sir. Only you. You crack your whip and a majority of this house cowers at your feet. You turn your thumb down and the house deals a death blow to prostrate, bleeding Oklahoma."

Here Mr. Shackelford said he had read in the morning papers that "Uncle Joe" had given it out flatfooted that he would not permit the house to concur in the senat amendment on the statehood bill and then proceeded:

"What a horrible announcement to be made in a free country."

The confusion in the house throughout Mr. Shackelford's remarks was such that very few members knew what he had said, when Mr. Tawney popped him with an objection.

Just before the legislative bill was taken up the house agreed not to meet tomorrow.

When the appropriation bill was made the order, Mr. Keifer (Ohio) continued his speech in favor of restricting southern representations. In advocating the restriction of immigration Mr. Houston (Tenn.) asserted if the present ratio of acquisition of population continued in 136 years the U. S. would have as dense a population as China.

BUSINESS IMPROVING.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Dispatches to Dun's Review indicate that favorable progress continues to be made in trade and prospects for the spring season are regarded with much interest. Boston reports the outlook bright in all industrial activity. Textiles are rather quiet although dry goods jobbers report a larger distribution than a year ago. Total bank exchanges for the week for all leading United States cities were $2,531,388,790, a decrease of 6.8 compared with the corresponding week last year

DR. FEIST

LEADING PHYSICIAN IS ACCUSED OF MURDER.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 16.—Dr. Herman Feist was arrested here today charged with the murder of Mrs. Lissa Mangrum, whose dead body was found in the Ohio at Cairo, Ill., about two weeks ago. Mrs. Mangrum left Nashville Dec. 1 last, ostensibly for a visit to St. Louis. Feist is a prominent physician of Nashville and his arrest caused a sensation. The warrant for his arrest was sworn out by Chester Wilson, a brother of the dead woman. Mrs. Mangrum was a beautiful woman and was related to prominent families in this city and throughout the state.

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GENERAL STORM

Fears For the Safety of Miners

DENVER, Colo., March 16.—Ouray, Durango, Silverton, Leadville, Aspen and smaller mining camps have been visited with snow slides during the past two days.

Hair-breadth escapes are reported from every mining camp and grave fears are entertained for scores of daring prospectors and miners who are cut off from the outside world in their lonely cabins, far up in the hills.

One slide at Silverton struck the edge of the town, doing considerable damage. The railroads in the San Juan region are blockaded. Late reports tell of a general storm of unprecedented severity for this season through the eastern and central portions of Colorado but clearing weather is looked for today.

LAWYER HUGHES

To "Boil Down" Insurance Report

ALBANY, N. Y., March 16.—Judge Andrew Hamilton's sensational attack upon the trustees of the New York Life Insurance Co. was still the general topic of conversation about the capitol today, when the investigating committee resumed its hearing on the bills recommended by it for the amendment of the insurance law. Interest in the hearing itself was at a low ebb.

Senator Armstrong, chairman of the committee, said this morning before the hearing that he would go home to Rochester after hearing today; that the sub-committee, including himself, would confer in New York early in the week with Charles E. Hughes of the committee over the mass of matter accumulated during the hearings and "boil it down," a net result to be submitted to the full committee probably on Friday in New York.

STATEHOOD BILL

Will be Taken Up on March 21

WASHINGTON, March 16.—At a conference of republican house leaders today it was decided to consider the statehood bill on Wednesday, March 21.

Chairman Hamilton of the house committee on territories probably will seek to take the bill from the speaker's table by moving that the measure, as amended by the senate be sent by unanimous consent to conference. If there should be objection the bill will go automatically to the house committee on territories which will report it to the house with a recommendation that it be sent to conference. As a result of the provision in the bill for the disposition of land the objection of a single member can prevent any action on the bill other than its reference to the house committee on territories. Consequently the measure is wholly within the control of the territories committee and it is not thought there will be any effort to hinder the bill's immediate submission to conference thus carrying out the agreement of the republican caucus held yesterday.

The delay in the consideration of the bill is due to an agreement to allow statehood to go over until the members of the house rivers and harbors committee shall return from their southern trip.

HIS REPLY

WHIPPLE TAKES UP PURCHASE OF ROGERS SECURITIES.

BOSTON, March 16.—Sherman L. Whipple, attorney for the Bay State Gas Co. of Delaware, George Wharton Pepper, receiver, made his reply today to the four days arguments of the defense in the suit against H. H. Rogers, of New York to recover about $2,000,000 the alleged profits of Rogers in the sale of his Boston Gas securities. He took up first the purchase by the New England Gas & Coke Co. of the Rogers securities for which, he said, the company had to borrow money at 5 per cent. to buy securities which could not under the most favorable conditions pay more than 4. To determine whether the price for the securities was in any way affected by Mr. Rogers' position as trustee is the crux of the question, said Mr. Whipple.

INSANE MAN CAPTURED.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 16.—Charles Escott, aged 57 committed from Fall River three years ago to the Taunton insane hospital from which institution he escaped about a week since, was taken in charge by local officers today. He was taken to Taunton later in the day. Escott labors under the delusion that he is a high jumper and is not violent.

STRUCK BY CAR

Engineer Brown Was Instantly Killed

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., March 16.—A freight wreck occurred on the yard of the D. & H. R. railroad at Rotterdam Junction today. No one was injured but Engineer George W. Brown of Rotterdam Junction of the derailed engine while waiting for the wrecking train was struck by a car being switched and collided with his engine and was instantly killed.

POLICE ISSUE

STILL PARAMOUNT AT MOROCCAN CONFERENCE

ALGECIRAS, March 16.—The delegates to the Moroccan conference are more hopeful as the French and Germans show less rigidity after communicating with their governments. Sir Arthur Nicolson, head of the British mission, is exercising perhaps decisive influence toward the agreement. While continuing to support the French delegates, he maintains that they should do their share towards securing an adjustment and therefore advises them to accept a modified form of the Austrian police project, such as a modification providing that the inspector-general shall merely inspect but not command the Franco-Spanish police. It is pointed out in British quarters that Germany having conceded the important principles of a Franco-Spanish police, France should concede the detail of an inspector generalship without command. Moreover, it is stated that a police force thus organized would assure French predominance in Morocco. The French hesitate to agree to this believing that a foreign inspector-general stationed at Casablanca is a ruse to secure a base for future German influence and intrigue. It is understood, however, that Great Britain offers to cooperate with France against the realization of such a design and therefore it is believed that the French and Germans will agree to a modification of the inspector-general's authority and that this will be the basis of the agreement. The delegates hope that the next session will be decisive and are delaying meeting until assured that both sides are prepared to accept the modified project.

MURDER CHARGE

HAS BEEN PREFERRED AGAINST DE BERNARDIS

BOSTON, March 16.—As the result of the death during the night at the relief hospital of Charles McCarthy one of the three men wounded last Tuesday night by bullets, it is alleged from the revolver of Mauro De Bernardis an Italian of Newton Upper Falls, the police today filed a new complaint in the municipal court, charging De Bernardis with murder. The original complaint charged him with assault with intent to kill and on that complaint he was held Wednesday in $1000 for a hearing.

DEMURRER OVERRULED.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Justice Gould of the district supreme court today overruled the demurrer to the indictment against Representative Binger Hermann of Oregon, former commissioner of the general land office, charging him with destroying certain letter press copy books alleged to contain public records.

MAINE D. A. R.

BANGOR, Me., March 16.—Fifty delegates representing the 13 chapters throughout the state, were present when the annual meeting of the state council, Daughters of The American Revolution was called to order today. The meeting was held under the auspices of Frances Dighton Williams chapter. After repeating the Lord's Prayer and singing America, the delegates were welcomed by Mrs. A. L. Harvey. The response was by Mrs. Mary A. Kendall of Portland. Then the reports of the secretary and committee were read and the business of the chapter taken up.

CLERK WATTS

SAYS TRAIN CARRIED PASSENGERS FROM EVERYWHERE.

DENVER, Colo., March 16.—Westbound Denver and Rio Grande passenger train No. 3, which was wrecked this morning near Portland, Colo. by collision with east-bound train No. 16, is the Utah and California express, which left Denver at 8 o'clock last evening.

J. W. Watts, chief clerk in the office of the general superintendent of the Denver & Rio Grande said this morning that so far as the local office had been officially informed the engineer, fireman and express messenger of each train is missing. As No. 3 carried a mail car, it is probable the mail clerk is dead. All the baggage cars and coaches were burned except the sleepers.

Train No. 3 carried passengers from the west from all over the country. The passengers on No. 16 were mainly from Leadville, Salada, Canon City and Florence and other stations on the Denver and Rio Grande between Denver and Leadville.

The wreck occurred between Adobe and Portland, about 30 miles west of Pueblo, where the railroad runs along the Arkansas river through a comparatively level stretch of country.

The conductor of No. 3 was Frank Smith, and the engineer, Walter Coslette of Pueblo.

The conductor of No. 16 was M. Garrett, the engineer, W. H. Hollis of Pueblo.

The Globe express messenger McCarland on No. 16 is missing and undoubtedly is under the wreckage. Engineer Costello of No. 3 was killed his fireman escaping by jumping. The majority of the dead were on train No. 3.

General Superintendent Welby of the Denver & Rio Grande left this morning for the wreck. He said: "Both train crews overlooked their orders. The smoking car passengers are the victims. Most of those killed were in that car."

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

BOSTON, March 16.—Trading in coppers in the Boston stock market today showed a weak tone, with but a small volume of business. A few anxious sellers and stop orders caused an early weakness in Boston Consolidated. In the loan crowd there was a good demand for Boston Consolidated, U. S. Smelting preferred had a steady demand.

ROSSI WILL DIE

Fatal Shooting Affray in Boston

[illegible] March 16.—Mortally [illegible] shot gun, Dante Rossi, [illegible] taken to the belief here [illegible] his lodging house in [illegible] the police started a [illegible] Bastorla, the manager [illegible] shipment, who is supposed [illegible] the crime. At [illegible] stated that Bastorla [illegible] with him and that [illegible] which followed [illegible] resulted in shooting [illegible] held so near Rossetter's clothing took [illegible] burned. The [illegible] Bastorla's wife, it [illegible]

RUSSIAN LOAN

Amount Is Fixed at $250,000,000

BERLIN, March 16.—The Russian loan that will be issued after the Moroccan question is settled will amount to $250,000,000 and possibly more. The some German, British, French and American banking syndicates which were represented in the negotiations going on before the disorders in Russia broke out will be invited to participate in the new loan. New York's percentage will be small but American participation is welcome as widening the international basis of Russian credit. The German allotment will be handled by the Mendelssohns

STEAMER ASHORE

Life Savers Reached the Vessel

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 16.—The British steamer Cearense, from Para for New York, struck on the shoals between the Tons river life saving station and Island Beach today and is still hard aground. The vessel at once signalled for assistance and the wrecking tug North America which was lying at the Delaware Breakwater, was ordered to hurry to the aid of the steamer. The sea is smooth and it is believed that the steamer will be floated at high tide. Life savers were able to reach the vessel but the passengers and crew still remain on board. Captain Mason said that the passengers became panic stricken when the Cearense struck the sandy bottom, but were soon calmed. The Cearense appears to be lying easy and is not leaking. The vessel is 269 feet long and is owned by R. Singlehurst and Co. of Liverpool.

MINE WORKERS

VICE-PRESIDENT LEWIS OCCUPIED THE CHAIR

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 16.—The convention of the United Mine Workers of America was called to order today by Vice-President T. L. Lewis, who explained that President Mitchell was busy at national headquarters. The credentials committee announced that it had not completed its work and recess was taken until afternoon.

BRACKETT BILL

IS FAVORED BY THE INSURANCE COMMITTEE

ALBANY, N. Y., March 16.—The senate insurance committee today reported favorably Senator Brackett's bill repealing the famous "section 56" of the insurance law which requires the participation, or at least the consent of the attorney general in actions against insurance companies.

The repeal of section 56 is one of the recommendations of the Armstrong committee.

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Wall Paper

—AT—

97 Appleton St.

SUPREME COURT

Denied the Petition of Charles L. Tucker

FOR ISSUANCE OF A WRIT OF ERROR

Decision Was Handed Down Today

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Justice Harlan of the supreme court of the United States today denied the writ of error applied for in the case of Charles L. Tucker, under sentence of death on the charge of murdering Miss Maud Page at Weston, Mass., in March, 1901.

VAHEY NOTIFIED

BOSTON, March 16.—James H. Vahey, senior counsel for Charles L. Tucker, received the following telegram this afternoon from Associate Justice James M. Harlan, of the United States supreme court relative to the application for a writ of error by the issuance of which the Tucker case would be reviewed by the supreme court:

"Application denied. Papers returned by mail. James M. Harlan."

Until the papers are received nothing will be done towards taking the next step to save Tucker's life. If his attorney decides not to make further application to the supreme court the only hope for Tucker lies in the executive clemency of Gov. Guild. Tucker has been sentenced to be electrocuted during the week of June 10.

GERMANY

ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR FAILURE OF CONFERENCE

BERLIN, March 16.—Herr Von Radowitz and Count Von Tattenbach, delegates of the German mission to the Moroccan conference, are waiting at Algeciras as the French delegates offer a substitute to the Austrian police project which will be discussed in a conciliatory spirit. But the foreign office here says no proposal can be accepted that does not admit of some sort of effective international supervision. A feeling of almost indifference is noticed at the foreign office, where all responsibility for the failure of the conference to agree is disowned.

REV. FR. REYNOLDS

Preached to Hibernians on St. Patrick

At the Immaculate Conception church, last evening, Rev. John P. Reynolds, O. M. I., chaplain of division 2, A. O. H., delivered a powerful panegyric on St. Patrick. The members of division 2 were present and there were many representatives of the other divisions in the congregation.

Fr. Reynolds dwelt on what St. Patrick studied in his life work; the faith he planted in the Irish breast, and the three qualities of that faith, fervor, zeal and constancy under persecution.

"Irish saints or missionaries are the patron saints of all nations," he said. "Saint Aidan established Lindisfarne in England, Saint Columbanus established Luxeuil in France, Columbkill is the apostle of Iona, Scotland, Fain' Cataldus and Saint Donatus are the apostles of Italy, Saint Gall of Switzerland, and Saint Killian, apostle of Bavaria."

The speaker stated that there are 156 Irish saints in the ecclesiastical calendar of Germany; 45 Irish saints on the calendar of Belgium; 46 on the English calendar; 13 on the calendar of Italy, and Norway and Iceland each have eight.

Fr. Reynolds dwelt on the history of the Elizabethan and Cromwellian persecutions. "Cromwell proclaimed," said the speaker, "that Ireland should become Protestant or be destroyed. Ireland did not become Protestant; neither was it destroyed."

The speaker closed his remarks by stating that the lesson to be drawn was not merely for the Irish race, but for the whole world. First, the value of the faith; second, fidelity of a nation to a principle.

A short address to the local Hibernians closed the sermon.

The service closed with benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and the singing of "Hail, Glorious Apostle," by the congregation.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The Ladies' Aid society of the Second Congregational church held a delightful social last evening and did a rushing business at the tables. The supper committee consisted of Mrs. Robert W. Polly, Mrs. Fred Duncan and Mrs. John Upton.

The waitresses were Mrs. Michael Kloch, Mrs. James Kershaw, Miss Martha Crockett, Miss Minnie Crockett, Miss Alice Ballinger, Miss Emma Burgess.

The apron table was looked after by Mrs. Clarence Deltochin, assisted by Mrs. A. C. Mitchell.

At the collar and necktie table those having charge were Mrs. George White and Mrs. C. H. Whittemore.

The candy table was under the direction of Mrs. Joseph McComb, assisted by Mrs. D. A. Hudson and Master Arthur McComb.

High mass was sung at St. John's church this morning by Rev. Fr. Schofield.

Lenten devotions were held last night in St. John's church, and a large congregation was present.

The town warrant, containing the articles to come before town meeting, is posted in the postoffice.

At the services to be held in the Second Congregational church, Sunday morning Rev. D. A. Hudson will preach and his text will be "The Good and Bad Side of Denominationalism—What Congregationalism Stands For."

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WAS NOT BAILED

Towksbury Was Caught in Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, March 16.—Lewis Greene Towksbury, well known in Wall street circles and for whom the New York police have been looking for some time, was arrested here yesterday and held to await the action of the New York authorities. He was taken into custody at the request of the New York police who say he is under indictment for grand larceny. Towksbury is alleged to have fled from New York city to Mexico some years ago, leaving debts amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars. From Mexico he went to Europe and returned to this country about six weeks ago. According to his own story he spent two weeks in New York and has been in this city more than a fortnight.

After his arrest here yesterday Towksbury engaged counsel who made a strong effort to have the hearing postponed until Monday. He was unsuccessful in this and the prisoner was sent to Moyamensing prison.

WAS A DRUGGIST

BOSTON, March 16.—Lewis Greene Towksbury was formerly well known in New England. Years ago he conducted a drug store in Manchester, N. H., and was married in that city. In 1885 Towksbury left Manchester and went to New York. At one time he owned the fast pacers John R. Gentry and Robert J.

ASK PARDON

JESSE POMEROY HAS FILED ANOTHER PETITION.

BOSTON, March 16.—The agitation about the abolition of capital punishment which has been going on for some weeks at the state house has encouraged some of the life prisoners at the state prison to write to Governor Guild for pardon and release. The governor said yesterday afternoon that there were many of these.

Not to be outdone by his colleagues Jesse Pomeroy also wrote to the governor for liberation from confinement at the state prison.

The governor lost no time on this special application and the prisoner was informed that under no circumstances would his excellency consider, now or at any other time, an application for pardon from him.

SUPT. MOFFATT

SAYS TO LOOK OUT FOR PICKPOCKETS.

Supt. W. R. Moffatt says to look out for pickpockets

"The parade will bring the pickpockets here," he said, "and when a large crowd assemble it is best for one to look well to his or her purse."

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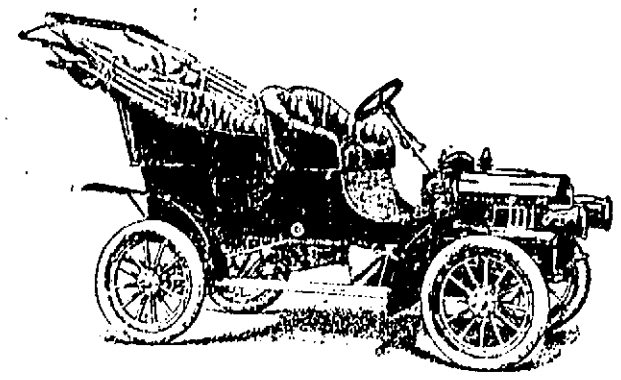

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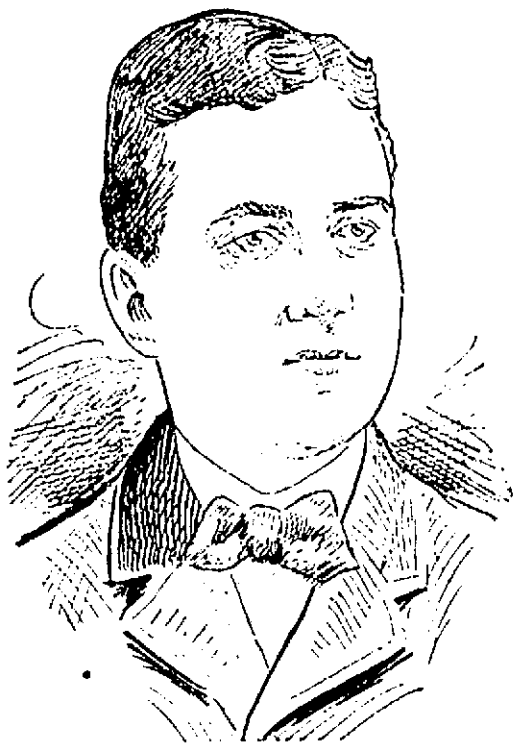

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THOMAS J. O'DONNELL, CHIEF AID.

THE CHIEF MARSHAL

Brief Biographical Sketch of Humphrey O'Sullivan

Born in Ireland He Came Here As a Printer—Invented Rubber Heels and Made a Fortune

If his prominence in today's monster celebration were the only notable event in the life of Humphrey O'Sullivan, chief marshal of the parade, it would justify the compilation of a respectable biographical sketch. But Mr. O'Sullivan's career has many events of still greater interest, so that as a prominent figure in the public eye, a very successful business man, a public-spirited citizen and a princely giver to every good cause, a brief story of his life will, we believe, be read with interest, especially at this time.

Born in the little town of Skibbereen on the southern coast of Ireland near the city of Cork, October 7, 1853, Humphrey O'Sullivan had to depend upon his own innate talent for advancement. He was the son of Timothy and Catherine, his mother's maiden name being Barry. Both were honest, upright people, the mother being noted for her personal charms and a faculty for diplomacy that enabled her to make the most of the opportunities that came within her reach to start her family in the right direction.

On the father's side, the ancestry of the family can be traced back to the noble clans of Donal Conn O'Sullivan of Bantry and Dunboy and in various romantic adventures and struggles which the people of the country indulged in to repel the oppressor, or at least to overcome the soldiery and defeat the effort to compel payment of taxes.

Young O'Sullivan was educated at the schools located at his native town, instructed in the principal subjects of a general education there taught. So marked was his progress that before leaving school he was offered a position as teacher, which, however, he declined as his ambition and his tastes seemed to lead in another direction. He contracted to learn the business of a printer and had scarcely closed his apprenticeship when he was called for a time to take charge of the Daily Telegram in the city of Cork. While there he engaged in a public oratorical contest in which he won first prize. This brought him distinction on account of his youth and he was encouraged to enter a similar contest in the city of Dublin, and in this he was also successful. On this triumph he felt considerable personal pride for the reason that he was opposed by college students and that it was A. M. Sullivan, a distinguished journalist and member of parliament who pinned the prize badge on the lapel of his coat.

But the ambitious boy printer prodded of his trade than of anything else in the world, thought that he would seek a better and a happier land and so equipped with a travelling card as a printer he embarked for the United States. On July 25th, 1874 he deposited his union card with the typographical union of New York and came to Lowell where he was cordially greeted by citizens. He worked at the printing trade in Lowell and Lawrence but was subsequently induced to enter the retail shoe business with his brother.

About this time Mr. O'Sullivan was united in marriage to Miss Hannah Driscoll, a very estimable young lady who has proved a most devoted wife. Their union has not been blessed with children but their married life has, nevertheless been one of real happiness.

In religion Mr. O'Sullivan is a Catholic, in politics a democrat although he has held no political office nor ever sought any at the polls.

Mr. O'Sullivan's leading characteristic as a business man is shrewdness and ability to see and grasp an opportunity. In the shoe business the demand for rubber heels and soles suggested to Mr. O'Sullivan the rubber heel which he promptly invented and upon this alone he made a respectable fortune. He possessed not only the ingenuity to invent the heel but the business tact and capacity to hold it in his own hands, and to put it on the market so as to derive what ever profit it might bring.

Before O'Sullivan's rubber heel was invented the rubber heel was put on with cement and small screws. Of necessity the screws took away from whatever resiliency the rubber had. This thing had gone along for years, and it occurred to him that there was a whole lot of waste of rubber, and all the resiliency was lost, and therefore undertook to mould a rubber heel that would fit the leather heel exactly, have no waste and countersunk the attaching nails, so that when the heels were attached, and all the time they were being worn, the attaching nail did not retard the resiliency, inasmuch as it was sunk as close as it would hold to the upper surface of the rubber heel.

The story of O'Sullivan's rubber heels has gone around the world. Seldom has any article been so well advertised by every medium of reaching the people, the newspaper, the magazine, the street car and the bill board. In all these various channels it is estimated that already several million dollars have been spent in advertising the O'Sullivan rubber heel. Is it any wonder that it is known and used in every country of Europe, in Australia, China, Japan, South America, South Africa and of course across the border in Canada. The O'Sullivan heel is the pioneer, there are now many substitutes but none to compare with the genuine. For thirty odd years the O'Sullivans have spent $100,000 annually in advertising alone so that this new industry created by rubber heels is one of great importance. The concern that attempts to butt against it with a rival or substitute heel may be prepared to expend a barrel of money or lose what they put in. The O'Sullivan heel still hedge its supremacy on the market and the shipments to every part of the world now equals the shipments of some of Lowell's oldest and best patent medicines.

In 1898 the O'Sullivan rubber business was incorporated under the name of the O'Sullivan Rubber company, with J. Munn Andrews as business manager. The stock of the company has never been offered for sale to anyone, and is not liable to be. Under the management of Mr. Andrews the business has assumed large proportions. Apart from the rubber heel business Mr. O'Sullivan is a director of the Lowell Trust company, trustee of a savings bank and treasurer of three companies of which he is a member.

Mr. O'Sullivan is a member of the Knights of Columbus, Celtics, Yorick club, Right Hand club, American Irish Historical society, the Foresters and Lowell Typographical union. He is at present a member of the democratic state central committee from this district and was chosen a member of the executive committee of that body.

Mention of Mr. O'Sullivan's membership in the Typographical union recalls a conceal incident in connection with the printers' strike for an eight hour day to which he contributed $500, and afterwards, it is understood, financed the strike to the extent of more than twice that amount, all out of sympathy for the craft. The strike had been in progress nearly two months when Mr. O'Sullivan, who had not worked at the business for over twenty years, on meeting one of the master printers addressed him thus: "I suppose Mr. you know that I am on strike for the eight-hour day in the job printing business, and I hereby inform you that I will not go back to work until our demands are granted."

The Typographical union was not the only beneficiary of Mr. O'Sullivan's liberality. When old St. Patrick's church was burned, a few years ago, the first communication that reached the permanent rector, Rev. William O'Brien, was a letter of sympathy from Humphrey O'Sullivan enclosing a check for $100 as a nucleus for a fund to rebuild the church.

In the Irish movement Mr. O'Sullivan has been a consistent worker ever since he settled in this country. In the old Land League days he was a regular attendant at the meetings and for a time held office in the organization, contributing his mite whenever there was a demand for funds. In recent years he has aided every organization calculated to benefit Ireland or her people. At a meeting of the United Irish League in old Huntington hall when Davitt and Dillon spoke here, some four years ago, he contributed $100 to the parliamentary movement. At a great demonstration in Faneuil hall, under the auspices of the United Irish League, last January, at which Mayor Fitzgerald presided, Mr. O'Sullivan won great applause and commendation by handing in his check for $500, just double the amount of the largest contribution from Boston.

For some time past he has been mentioned as a candidate for police commissioner. In case he should get the appointment it is safe to say that no man would ever accuse him of accepting bribes. Of late he has been frequently urged to allow his name to be used as a candidate for mayor on the democratic ticket next fall; but he has thus far steadily withheld his consent, although it is not at all certain that this means ultimate refusal in case the pressure should continue. As he is a man who has absolutely no personal enemies, for that reason alone even some of his best friends would regret to see him enter the arena of political strife.

Young in appearance for a man of his years, Humphrey O'Sullivan may be able to assist in celebrating St. Patrick's day for the next quarter of a century. But today at the height of his popularity, it is the wish of his legion of friends that he may be vouchsafed a long life and that his declining years all calm, peaceful and radiant may descend to a glorious sunset.

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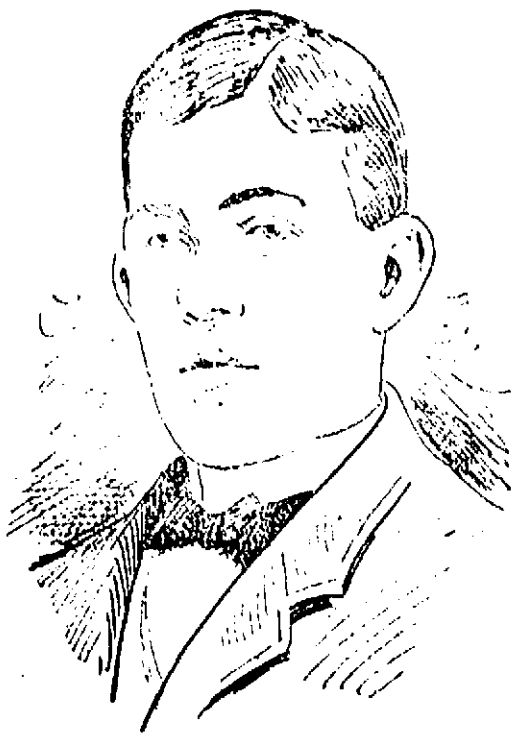

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APOSTLE OF ERIN

Able Panegyric Delivered by Rev. D. A Sullivan O.M.I.

At the Sacred Heart Church Last Night Before a Large Congregation—Ireland the Missionary of the World

At the Sacred Heart church last evening Rev. D. A. Sullivan, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church delivered an eloquent panegyric on St. Patrick before a very large congregation. He spoke in part as follows:

The twelfth chapter of Genesis furnishes a most appropriate text to introduce the few remarks I wish to make concerning one of God's noblemen.

"Go forth out of thy country and from thy kindred, and out of thy father's house, and come into the land which I shall show thee. And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee and magnify thy name and thou shalt be blessed."—Genesis xii, 1.

Seven cities have contended for the birth of Homer; almost as many nations have claimed the honor of giving birth to the Apostle of Ireland. Though England, Scotland, France and Wales may dispute the glory of having rocked his cradle, one thing remains undisputed, one thing is certain—Ireland was the theatre of St. Patrick's apostolic labors. Ireland is the land he reclaimed from Paganism, and presented to the living God as one of the greenest laurels that ever decked the brow of triumphant Christianity.

FAITH DEFINED.

There are two words, the visible and the invisible; the one is our native country, our families, our friends, our churches, our theatres, our joys, our sorrows, all that is about us. The other is the world that "Eye hath not seen, ear hath not heard, nor hath it entered into the heart of man to conceive"—that is the world revealed to us by faith. We say in the creed "I believe in God the Father almighty, creator of all things visible and invisible." Now in that invisible world, first of all is the God who created and redeemed us, then come the angels and saints. In that invisible world go are all the friends that we loved, who have been taken from us by the hand of death; those the very sound of whose name brings the tear to our eyes, and the prayer of suffrage to our lips—even though we do not see them, we are not unmindful of our dead, "like others who have no hope." Now, the virtue of faith is the power that God gives by divine grace to you to realize the invisible world, and to realize it in such a manner that you will almost know more about it than the world around you.

ST. PATRICK'S FAITH.

And truly, brethren, it was this "Divine Power" burning within him that nerved the great Apostle to the task of bursting asunder the ties that bound him to home, parents, all that was next to his heart; it was this power guided the bark freighted with Ireland's future to the "Evergreen shores of Imber Dea"; it was this power that spoke to young Patrick in his night watch on the hills of Dalaraidie; yes it was this same strong living faith that urged St. Patrick to the hill of Tara, there to begin the task which succeeding ages have and posterity will look upon as a most stupendous miracle—the remarkable conversion of the Irish race.

ENTRUSTED TO THE IRISH NATION.

On an Easter Sunday morning in the year 432, exactly 1660 years before America was discovered, a most singular sight presented itself. Ireland's king was holding court at Tara; around him were the chieftains of the nation—the Pagan priests, the Druids of the old fire worship, around him again, on either side, enthroned as monarchs, sat the magnificent ancient minstrels of Ireland, with snow-white beards, their harps upon their knees, filling all the air with the glorious melody of Ireland's music. Suddenly a man appeared with mitre on head, cape on shoulders, and a crozier in his hand with the cross of Christ upon it. This was Patrick who came from Rome to bring God's greatest gift to the Irish nation—the gift of faith. They received him as became a civilized and enlightened people. Plunged though they were in Paganism, they allowed the stranger to plead his christian cause, and when they heard his reason, they gave him permission to preach his doctrine throughout the land. Now have you heard of any other uncivilized people who willingly gave up their idols at the call of reason? Have you ever heard of any barbarous nation (I say barbarous because the Irish were never savages) listening patiently to an attack from strange ministers upon the most devoted object of their worship?

Yet when the saint's voice struck upon the intelligence of the Irish people, they abandoned all their Druidism, and never was there a people, that so embraced the light and took it all into their minds, took it into their hearts and put it into their blood the light of faith, as did Ireland in the day of her conversion. Ireland never asked her apostle to shed one tear of sorrow. She rose up, put her hand in his like a friend, took the message from his lips, surrounded him with honor and the veneration of the people.

DESPITE PERSECUTION THE FAITH FLOURISHED.

Since St. Patrick died, fourteen centuries have gone, and many a change has passed upon the land he loved. Language, laws, customs have changed since then, but one thing has not changed. "The cross like in Milan glittered in the hope of battle, and pointed to eternity." In war, in peace, at home, abroad, in the monasteries of Europe, in the wilds of Australia, in the rude shrines, and shattered aisles of a desolate Irish grandeur, in the cathedrals raised by Irish hands on the Eastern hemisphere, in the basilicas of Rome, in the seven rains of Celtic revelations at Glendalough in the classic halls of Oxford of Lindisfarne, amidst vanished greatness or rising powers—in all climes, in all lands, in all ages—through sunshine and sorrow, the children of Erin have clung to the faith, and have perpetuated the glories of that well earned title, the "Isle of Saints and Martyrs." Yes brethren, if the idea of glory involves sacrifice, privation, humiliation and death for a great principle or for a great cause, then faith is Ireland's glory. And as a nation's true glory is proportionate to the extent and completeness of the sacrifice for principles, so Ireland's glory surpasses them all.

For three hundred years Ireland fought the Danes. For three hundred more she engaged in a terrible struggle in which the whole strength of earth's mightiest people was put forth against her—a struggle fought out on a thousand battlefields, which deluged Ireland with the best blood of her children, and reduced her best provinces, over and over again to the condition of waste and desolate island. And why did they suffer thus? For something they had never seen. They never saw Christ in the blessed Eucharist because he was hidden from them under the sacramental veils of bread and wine; they never saw the mother of the God of heaven; they never saw the angels and saints of heaven; they never saw the Saviour upon the cross; and yet for that Christ on the cross, for the Saviour in the tabernacle, and for the mother of purity in Heaven, and for the angels and saints they shed their life's blood for those six hundred years.

Yes, Ireland's faith is Ireland's glory. The children of St. Patrick having dearly guarded the gift given them.

IRISH MISSIONARY WORK.

Ireland suffering is the salvation of the world, for even yet does the exile bear the faith to distant lands. In fact the greatest service which Ireland has rendered to her own dear country is the propagation of the Catholic faith the firm establishment of the Catholic faith within its boundaries. It matters not what pharisaic devices or political knaves may say to the contrary, truth is the most durable foundation of freedom, and the Catholic church is the pillar and ground of truth. Labor is profitable, valor is powerful, genius is glorious, education is one of the mightiest influences that effect or control the destinies of mankind; but truth is greater than any of these characteristics of a free and flourishing nation. Faith ennobles labor, concentrates valor, gives its noblest splendor to genius, and hallows and purifies education. Such is the miraculous power of Catholic faith and this is Ireland's greatest gift to the United States. True, the church in this country is not the work of the Irish alone, but I am sure that the faithful sons of St. Patrick have done more in moulding that church what it is than all other nations collectively. The majestic temples of worship which they have erected, the magnificent charitable institutions which they have founded, the net work of convents, colleges and schools, these are a striking evidence of that sturdy middle faith so deeply embedded in the heart of hearts of every man, woman and child through whose veins courses the Celtic blood.

DEFEND THE FAITH.

Let your voice then be clear and distinct, your speech strong and decided as becomes a citizen of a free state, and a freeman of the commonwealth of God. Be just to yourselves, just to your fellow citizens, just to your faith—be what you are commanded to be and fear nothing. Those who from a religious point of view differ from us are in many other respects straightforward and honest, high minded and honorable. They love plain talking and plain dealing, and they never fail to honor a man, who from a sense of duty tells them in strong and direct terms the truths he is bound, or regards himself as bound by his church, to proclaim. Be mindful then of your duties as good faithful followers of Holy Mother Church.

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Chief Marshal's Banquet at 7 o'clock

Chief Marshal O'Sullivan has made arrangements to have lunch served to all the paraders immediately after the dismissal of the procession this afternoon. The marshals of the different organizations have been notified by Daniel S. O'Brien, to whom the chief marshal assigned charge of this matter, the places where each society will make its headquarters.

The chief marshal will banquet his staff and guests at the Waverly Hotel at 7 o'clock this evening. After the banquet there will be speaking.

The state militia of this state and New Hampshire will lunch at the state armory.

The Irish companies of the Irish Volunteer regiment will march to the hall of the Wolf Tone Guards in Market street and after luncheon is served there will be a social session.

The O. M. I. Cadets will be served in the hall of the Immaculate Conception school and the Holy Name societies of the Sacred Heart and St. Patrick's parishes with the Sacred Heart sodality of St. Patrick's school will repair to the school hall in Suffolk street.

Provision has been made for the Portuguese Benefit society at the Leather Workers' hall in Central street.

The quarters of the Burke Temperance Institute will be in the banquet hall of the Knights of Columbus in Associate hall, and the C. Y. M. L. with the Young Men of Lawrence will march to the former's hall in Suffolk street at the conclusion of the parade.

The hall in the Harrington building in Central street has been secured for the Ladies' Auxiliaries, A. O. H. of Lowell and Lawrence.

In the assignment of the different out-of-town Hibernian divisions the chief marshal has arranged to have at least one local division of the A. O. H. in each hall. Divisions 1 and 2 will see that the Hibernian Rifles of Lawrence, the Emmet Rifles of Manchester, and the Hibernians from Manchester are well taken care of in Foresters hall.

Divisions 11 and 28 will escort the divisions of Lawrence and Haverhill to Hibernian hall where refreshments will be provided, and Division 5 will look after the Hibernians from Nashua, Ayer and Newburyport in Elks hall.

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THE DAY WE CELEBRATE.

On St. Patrick's day the exiled sons of Old Erin and their descendants in every clime turn their thoughts to the mother land and ask—

"How's poor old Ireland,
Or how does she stand?"

Today the answer to this question of Napper Tandy can be answered more hopefully than at any time in the past century.

Never since Grattan by the aid of the Irish Volunteers wrested from England an independent parliament, were the hopes of Ireland more roseate or more buoyant.

At no period of her history did Ireland show greater growth or industrial and commercial development than during the existence of Grattan's parliament from 1782 till 1800, a proof that the Irish people could then govern themselves; and if then certainly they can do so now, although for a long time England's contention actually was, that the Irish could not govern themselves. She had destroyed their schools and their industries, rendering them ignorant and poor, but superadded to all this she endeavored to stigmatize them before the world as incapable of self-government, too dense, too factious, too prone to settle their troubles by a resort to force.

But history belies the charge, for at no period of her history has Ireland been without great men. England managed to get rid of many of those in Ireland either by treachery, execution, or expatriation, but soon the voice of the exiles were heard in other lands denouncing England and opposing her material and commercial interests as they do to this day.

Overlooking the battlefields of Europe on which the "Wildgeese" wreaked vengeance on England, in the western hemisphere the Irish exiles first struck a blow at the oppressor of their race by assisting the American colonies to cast off the yoke of England and to establish their independence. Some of the leaders of the revolution such as Bishop Carroll were Irishmen, while during the struggle the achievements of Captain Jack Berry, the Father of the American navy, and other brave soldiers brought lustre to the Irish race. In every struggle in which the country was involved, the Irish element of our population took its stand against England, against her commercial interests, against her influence and her territorial aggrandizement. At the present time the Americans of Irish descent alone prevent the ratification of a treaty of amity between this country and England. Such a treaty would give England immense prestige with the European nations. It would be far more serviceable to her than her treaty with Japan or her peaceful understanding with France.

But the Irish influence in this country stands in the way, and will stand in the way until England shall have done justice to Ireland, let that time be long or short. King Edward has proved himself to be something of a statesman as well as a diplomat and a man of peace. He has apparently seen the foolishness of keeping up an eternal conflict with Ireland.

In his recent speech at the opening of the present session of parliament he practically promised Ireland a measure of home rule as soon as the ministry finds it convenient to introduce such a measure.

With such a pronunciamento from the king, the lords are not likely to reject any reasonable measure of home rule. One of the reasons why the Gladstone home rule bills were rejected by the lords was, that under home rule, they thought the landlords might be unfairly treated or dispossessed. But the landlords have been practically dispossessed by British enactments and the slight remnant of them that remains will soon be forced to sell at terms prescribed in the land act.

With the landlords banished and the people in possession of the soil, Ireland is now preeminently prepared to make the best of any measure of home rule that may be granted.

The industries must be revived, the system of education must be improved; the Anglicization of Ireland must cease, and the drain upon the life blood of the nation that has passed out in the stream of emigration must also be stopped never to be renewed. The nation has been depleted of its young manhood and womanhood. From 8,500,000 in 1817 the population has fallen to less than half that number under the benign influence of British sway. Therefore, in celebrating Ireland's national holiday this year, her exiled sons can rejoice in the bright outlook that places almost within grasp of the Irish people the charter of their liberties for which they fought as long as they were physically able to fight, and for which O'Connell inaugurated a peaceful system of warfare that shook the foundation of the British empire. O'Connell made Parnell possible and his grand work having been left incomplete, his mantle fell upon the shoulders of John Redmond, the present Irish leader who in all probability may be called upon to open the Irish parliament in College Green, Dublin, with in the next two years. On that day, whether soon or late, the salute of "Erin Go Bragh" will ring around the earth among the scattered children of the Gael, hailing her upon her glorious triumph after a struggle of 800 years while many will apostrophize her on her new investiture of nationality as did Grattan on a similar occasion—"Esto Perpetua!"

STATE SUPERVISION.

The movement to put all telephone and telegraph companies under state supervision is justified by the fact that these companies constitute the only exceptions to the general rule. All the other companies are under control of the state. Why should these be exempt?

THE IRISH SOLDIER

THE IRISH SOLDIER TO COLUMBIA.

Address to Columbia on St. Patrick's Morning

(By Michael Scanlan.)

Columbia, gra, just hear awhile
With a soldier of the rank and file,
A stepson from the Emerald Isle,
Your uniform adorning.
Who comes his poor respects to pay,
In the good, old democratic way,
To wish you, on St. Patrick's day,
The very crame of the morning;
And ask you, Ma'am, if you would wear
Amid the glory of your hair,
Right in that nest of Cupid's there,
This emblem of his shrehnd!
Fed by soft winds and rarest dew,
Wept down from skies of softest blue,
This little sprig of Shamrock grew
Near the very heart of Ireland!

You now have royal homs, aroon,
Who flash about you, late and soon,
Like stars about the summer moon
Outrivaled by your glory.
But in the days when you were young,
And sleuth hounds on your traces hung,
And royal lovers gave them tongue,
'Twas then a different story.
But in these dark and bloody days,
Old Ireland rose beyond the says
And backed your throne-upsetting ways,
In the face of rack and prison.
And gave you all she had, asthore,
Strong arms, true hearts and love galore,
And cheered you from her sea-beat shore
Till all your stars had risen.

When you had sprung from war's alarms,
Jack Barry took you in his arms,
And smiled to see your baldiliz charms,
On a cold St. Patrick's morning.
He wrapped you in the flag and said,
"When thrones are mouldered, empires dead,
Amid the stars she'll hold her head,
Their petty kingdoms scorning!"
Montgomery was standing near
And on your pleased and listening ear
Bang Dragoon Moylan's charging cheer;
While the Shamrock was adorning
That curl-crowned head and brow of thine,
Along the Continental line,
That cheer was passed with nine times nine,
On that St. Patrick's morning.

You may forget those misty things,
Which time has shaded with his wings,
And yet they are the living springs
Of all your fame and glory;
When Jackson fought at New Orleans,
And by his side the Jaspar Greens,
You were a maiden in your teens,
And can't forget the story.—
Your olden foe had come once more,
To trail you, as in days before;
You met him on the sounding shore
And dared the haughty foeman!
Then Jackson shook your banner free
And swore, "By the Eternal, she
Shall hold her course o'er land and sea,
and sea,
Nor cringe, nor stoop to no man!"

And in your fullest womanhood,
Sons, Ireland's sons about you stood,
And freely poured their hottest blood
For you, their second mother;
Where'er along the battle tide
One of your own boys fought and died,
An Irishman was by his side,
Like brother unto brother—
Tho' sundered in the plodding mart,
You cannot tell their graves apart,
Two in race, but one in heart
For God and godlike freedom!
Whene'er the dread occasion comes,
And war should lower above your homes,
Lo, at the rattle of your drums,
They're ready when you need 'em!

Your cheeks like reddest roses blow,
Your eyes with fires of freedom glow,
Your bosom, chaster than the snow;
Can dare the world's inspection;
In looks, in acts, in pride, in mein,
You seem like nature's freeborn queen
Darlin', a little bit of green
Would suit your fine complexion;
By tears bedewed, by martyrs blest,
'Twas borne in many a gallant crest,
'Twas worn on many a queenly breast,
And decked their golden tresses;
And he who to this emblem's true
Can ne'er be false, agra, to you,
Till the emerald fields wherein it grew
Are turned to wildernesses!

Just bend your regal head awhile!—
No wonder, darlin' that you smile,
A soldier of the rank and file
Has mighty awkward fingers
About the head of 'wildering curls,
But faith as true as lord's or earl's,
And heart as gentle as a girl's;
Don't blame him if he fingers
About your wealth of sunbright hair,
To set old Ireland's Shamrock there,—
May blackest sorrow be his share
Who would the twain dissever!
Now raise your head to all men's view,
Columbia, while I drink to you,
"The green, the red, the white and blue
Forever and forever!"

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EXILE'S FAREWELL

TO ERIN ON LEAVING HIS NATIVE LAND FOR AMERICA.

[By E. J. G. Written 1881.]

Adieu! Adieu! my native land,
Fresh gloom is gath'ring o'er thee.
I, too, must flee oppression's hand,
But yet I'll still adore thee.

Tho' tyrants now possess thy plains
And tax thy mountains hoary,
'Tis hard to leave thee bound in chains,
Cast down from all thy glory.

But better go than linger here
Supporting tyrants cruel,
Where millions toil from year to year
For barely food and fuel.

Where landlords claim the peasants' toil
And from his home evict him,
And drive him from his native soil
Despite what ills afflict him.

Oh, Erin! Erin! fare thee well,
And mountain, lake and river,
Fond scenes I've only loved too well
To part with now forever.

Afar beyond the blue sea's foam,
Wher'er thy sons may wander,
We'll ever fondly call thee home
And still of thee grow fonder.

My bark is moored within the bay
And wintry seas before me,
But more I dread their fate that stay,
Aged parents to deplore me.

One ray of joy shall ne'er be mine
In foreign lands, oh never,
Never till freedom's light doth shine
To beam on Erin ever.

And oh! how proudly would I die
In breaking Erin's fetters
To blaze her name on Freedom's sky
In fame's immortal letters.

To fall among the victors slain,
The green flag o'er me flying,
I'd lead a life of grief and pain
For such a moment's dying.

BROCKTON LOST

Hard Hitting by Higgins and Hart

WON VICTORY FOR LOWELL

Fast and Furious Front a Feature

Lowell defeated Brockton by a score of 7 to 3 in a close and exciting contest at the Rollaway rink in Hurd street last night. The playing throughout was lively and despite the fact that Lowell scored more than double the goals that Brockton did the game was well contested and the visiting players put up a good exhibition.

Out of respect to "Peon" Gavitt, of the Lawrence team, who died early yesterday morning the players on both teams wore small pieces of black crepe on the left sleeves of their jerseys.

There were three well-known faces in the Shoe City lineup, Charles Fitzgerald, who played in several teams during the two season polo was here; Phil Jason, who was last seen in the Lawrence lineup, and Pete Woods, who played half back for Worcester. Rushing with Jason was Dawson, who has played in several leagues and Weimert at goal.

The clever work of "Kid" Higgins assisted materially in Lowell's victory, for despite the fact that he is seen at his best in a large rink, where he has opportunity to do some fast skating, his spurts of speed were numerous and his handling of the ball worthy of the meritorious applause which he received from the enthusiasts. He had little or no difficulty in reaching the spot ahead of Jason, the latter player winning but one of the rushes.

Hart scored three of the goals and with the exception of one or two occasions managed to make good on all passes received. Bill Miller did very effective work and besides caging the ball once he proved a stumbling block to the visiting rushers. He was invariably in the way of the ball when it was driven and spoiled many drives which might have resulted in scores.

Carrigan played a clever blocking game and Harper, in front of the Lowell cage, received much applause for his good work.

For the visitors Jason, Fitzgerald and Weimert did good work, though Peter Woods played a clever blocking game, but Dawson's playing seemed to be the weak point.

The game was very strenuous and the visitors were inclined to rough it, but the local quintet demonstrated the fact that they could also take a hand in roughing it.

Lowell's victory was due mainly to the clever team work which seemed to puzzle the visitors.

Higgins won the first rush and passed the ball to Hart, who tried to entangle the ball in the drapery of Brockton's cage but Weimert's skill paid sent it out of danger. Despite the fact that Lowell did some clever team work the drives were ineffective, while on the other hand Harper was kept busy covering his cage. A scrimmage in one of the corners between Jason and Miller resulted in the referee calling a foul on the Lowell man. Shortly after this a scrimmage in front of the Brockton cage gave Hart an opportunity to place the red sphere for the first goal. Thirty seconds later Higgins brought the ball down the floor and after making a couple of false passes and climbing over Pete Woods' big feet he sent the ball into the cage.

Several minutes after Higgins scored Miller caged the ball, having left his position at centre in order to keep the ball away from Dawson. Shortly after this Miller performed some clever work in worrying Jason. Jason had several fine opportunities to drive for the Lowell cage, but Miller was in the way every time.

The fourth goal made was due to the clever work of Higgins, who after giving an exhibition of jugling down the floor, which bordered on the sensational, he sent the ball by Weimert. With the score four to nothing it looked like a walkover for the local five, but Jason got into the running and after making two unsuccessful attempts to get the ball by Harper succeeded in scoring the first goal for his team. Three minutes later he made the second goal on a pass from Dawson.

Score Lowell 4, Brockton 2.

There was but one goal made during the second period and Hart carried off the honors after receiving the ball from Miller. The first part of this period the playing was very lively and the ball was frequently driven very high. A foul was called on Hart during the early part of the period. Jason drove the ball and Hart caught it as it struck his chest and instead of dropping it continued to carry it down the rink. On one occasion Jason had what looked to be a sure goal, but Harper jumped outside the goal circle and stopped the ball, but his jump was such a long one that he lost his balance and went to the floor. He regained his feet, however, before a second drive could be made.

Score—Lowell 5, Brockton 2.

Lowell scored two goals and Brockton one in the last period. Less than two minutes after the period started Higgins fed the ball to Hart and "Bob" scored. Six minutes later Higgins brought the ball down the floor and despite the fact that Jason, Fitzgerald and Woods tried to stop him he fooled all three and on the second drive at Weimert caged the ball. Just before the close of the game Fitzgerald sent the ball into the netting from the corner of the cage.

Score—Lowell 7, Brockton 3.

Lineup and summary:

LOWELL—7		3—BROCKTON
Higgins	r	r Jason
Hart	r	r Dawson
Miller	c	c Fitzgerald
Carrigan	lb	lb Woods
Harper	g	g Weimert

Won by	Caged by	Time
Lowell	Hart	1.30
Lowell	Higgins	.30
Lowell	Miller	2.40
Lowell	Higgins	2.00
Brockton	Jason	1.25
Brockton	Jason	3.05

LIMIT

Lowell	Hart	9.25

LIMIT

Lowell	Hart	1.10
Lowell	Higgins	3.50
Brockton	Fitzgerald	6.45

Score—Lowell 7, Brockton 3; rushes—Higgins 12, Jason 4; stops—Harper 39, Weimert 37; fouls Miller and Hart; referee—James McGrath; attendance—700.

In the death of Edmond H. Gavitt better known as "Peon," who has played polo in the east and west, polodom loses one of its best players. The deceased was well known and very popular, both among the players and the public at large. He was a hard working player, being loyal to the team to which he belonged and did much in order to make polo a success.

The next Lowell game will be Tuesday night when "Nick" McGilvary and his Haverhillites come to Lowell. Joe Fox's Lynn team will be here on Friday.

GAME TONIGHT.

Lowell at Brockton.

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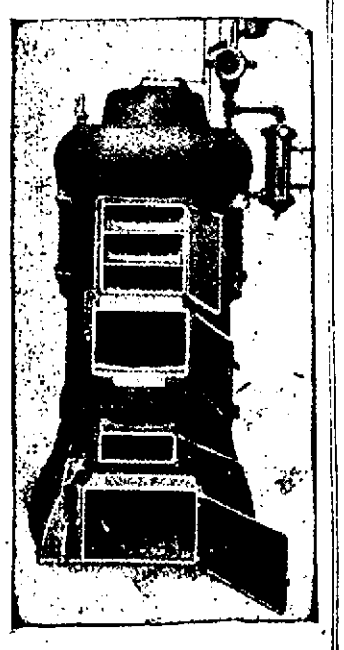

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HOME RULE CERTAIN

Progress Made Since '79 Makes Goal Inevitable

JOHN O'CALLAGHAN, NATIONAL SECRETARY OF UNITED IRISH LEAGUE.

Sec'y O'Callaghan of the United Irish League Reviews the Outlook for Home Rule—What Has Been Accomplished by Parliamentary Agitation.

This St. Patrick's day finds the Irish cause with brighter prospects than have been apparent for 20 years at least, and the Irish people more confident of ultimate success in their struggle for the rights of a nation than they have been at any period in the past. It is a matter of gratification to every son and daughter of the race, no matter in what part of the world they may be found, that the old cause for which generation after generation has struggled unceasingly, today seems more certain of success than could have seemed possible even five years ago.

The developments of the past few months have placed the ultimate success of the Irish movement for self-government beyond question. What had been described as the most powerful government England has witnessed since the reform bill on 1832 has been destroyed absolutely by Irish votes and only a remnant of it is left to oppose the expressed will of the Irish people in the democracy of Britain. Five years ago there was a majority of 145 in opposition to home rule for Ireland; the same British legislature recently, by a majority of 318 declared absolutely and without equivocation against a tory amendment to the address in opposition to home rule for Ireland.

This change is not accidental. It is the outcome of certain causes which have been operating for three or four years past and the outcome of which was assured when the time was ripe for it. The very first division of the present session of parliament plainly showed that on whatever other question the liberal party may be divided, it can command a controlling majority on the Irish question in favor of doing justice to Ireland.

This result is due in the first place to the splendid discipline and union of the Irish party itself, and the fearless, able, cool and determined leadership of John E. Redmond, without question one of the greatest European statesmen of today. As a tactical leader of a political party, he has no equal in English or Irish politics, and it is doubtful if he has any rival in the European political field. The Irish party has never at any period in the past been more completely united or more determined on insisting that Ireland shall secure her just rights, while the Irish people themselves are a unit, not alone in Ireland but in England, the United States, Canada, Australia, and everywhere else throughout the world in supporting and sustaining that party.

The outspoken declaration of the new chief secretary for Ireland, Professor Bryce, in the initial debate of the present parliament, in which he declared that home rule had no terrors for him; that he was a home ruler even more than Gladstone was, and that he would not retract nor alter a single statement he had ever uttered in favor of the right of the Irish people to rule themselves, places the issue once again in the forefront of British politics, where it will remain until it is settled.

It would, perhaps, be too much to expect that it can be dealt with in the present session of parliament, which will be of comparatively brief duration. Because it will not be possible for the government to tackle anything of a legislative character beyond the budget and the necessary appropriations, probably before the middle of June, which would be wholly insufficient in which to pass any large measure of self-government for Ireland, so that it will undoubtedly be deferred until next year.

It is premature in the interval to even discuss what the provisions of such a measure are likely to be, but one thing is at least apparent and thoroughly understood. Mr. John Redmond declared in the debate on the address that nothing short of complete self government will ever satisfy the Irish people. It may be that such a measure cannot be passed at one effort, but there is little doubt that the intention of the new premier is to give such a large instalment of self-government in the first place as will make the granting of the balance which would make it complete, a matter of comparatively little difficulty. In the course of a very few years, Irishmen, of course, would prefer, if it could be accomplished, that a complete measure of self-government should be passed at one stroke, but there is the danger of the opposition of the house of lords to be met with before that can be accomplished. The lords, on the other hand, with the signs of the times pointing to a more complete democratic upheaval in England at the next general election, than even there was in the one just concluded, will go very slow in antagonizing any measure enlarging the scope of self-government in Ireland which falls at all short of a complete home rule measure. In that way a generous measure of home rule could undoubtedly be passed through both houses of parliament without another appeal to the country, and after another general election it will certainly be enlarged so as to embrace complete home rule. So that the dividing of the question in this way is likely to work out ultimately for Ireland's benefit, and undoubtedly make the passage of a home rule measure easier.

There are active forces now at work in Ireland at the present time which have never been counted on the Irish side before. The Irish Reform association composed wholly of members of the Tory and landlord class, is working on its own lines in the direction of the extension of self-government, which it does not openly declare itself as favorable to, what nationalists know as home rule. The Ulster Unionists, opponents of home rule, too, are for the first time divided on the question and the Orange democracy is rapidly throwing in its lot with the nationalists of the rest of the country in favor of the more tolerant and broader methods of government.

All these things are having a tremendous effect in weakening the opposition which still exists in the small northeastern corner of Ireland to home rule and to a corresponding extent is affecting the English democracy which is not disposed to pay very generous attention to the arrogant claims of the Orange dead heads, which have hitherto stood in the way of winning Irish national self-government. That factor will be a constantly diminishing one in force and it will only be a very few years until it will be practically disposed of altogether.

Asked as to the progress made by parliamentary action of the Irish party since 1879 Mr. John O'Callaghan, secretary of the United Irish League of America, summarized the various measures as follows:

What has Ireland gained, in financial benefits alone, as a result of the agitation of the past 25 years? In round figures, very nearly a billion dollars. Here are the results in detail:

The recent victories of Joseph Devlin, M. P., in West Belfast, where he won the seat for the nationalists from the tories who had held it for 20 years, in North Tyrone and other constituencies shows the trend of thought among the Orange democracy and is most powerful for the immediate future of the Irish cause.

It is of course apparent to any student of the question that all these changes have come about as the direct result of the persistent, thoughtful, statesmanlike, and courageous campaign mapped out and carried on by John E. Redmond and his colleagues of the Irish party, whose keen judgment has been fully justified by the events.

There is no question that even during the present session of parliament large and administrative reforms which do not need legislative enactment to permit their being carried out will take place in Ireland, or what is known as "Dublin Castle Government." Already the coercion act has been suspended over three-fourths of the country over which it was in force for the past three years. The landed estates commissioners have been given extended powers in dealing with the land purchase scheme under which already more than one-third of the land of Ireland has passed in two and one-half years from the hands of the landlords into those of the tenants.

Chief Secretary Bryce has declared his intention not alone of restoring the grant which the tory government had withdrawn for the teaching of Gaelic, and which amounted to about $60,000 a year, but intends to go very much farther in the extension of the facilities for teaching the Gaelic tongue.

These are among the first fruits of the change of government which the Irish party had been able to win, and they are undoubtedly only a forerunner of greater ones in the very near future, and finally within a very few hours of national self-government itself.

The splendid work which Mr. Redmond and his party have done entitle them not alone to the thanks of the Irish people in Ireland and outside of it, but to the gratitude of the Irish race in every land on earth. For the higher the position of the Irish race is made at home, the greater the credit that will be reflected on the race abroad wherever it may be placed.

This St. Patrick's day, therefore, is one the spirit of which Irishmen the world over will join in with enthusiasm and confidence. It portends the dawn which is about to light up the Irish landscape and which before many other anniversaries of Ireland's patron saint have come around, will have burst into the full noonday of freedom.

JOHN O'CALLAGHAN,
National Secretary United Irish League of America.

THE IRISH PARTY

AND WHAT IT HAS ACCOMPLISHED SINCE 1897.

When asked to state the result of parliamentary agitation since 1897 Mr. O'Callaghan submitted the following statistics:

Results of parliamentary agitation—1879-1905.

Land act, 1881, reduced Irish rents by	$ 10,000,000
Land purchase acts, 1885-98 (advanced for purchase of land by tenants)	70,000,000
Land purchase act, 1891, (advanced for purchase of land by tenants)	150,000,000
Light railways act, 1889	5,000,000
Arrears of rent act, 1882 (wiped out completely)	10,000,000
Laborers' act, 1883, for building laborers' cottages	10,000,000
Annually (for same since 1883) $900,000	13,500,000
Migration act, 1882, transferring tenants to richer lands	5,000,000
Agricultural act, 1896, improving agriculture	1,000,000
Annually (for same purpose since 1896), $500,000	5,000,000
Land act, 1903, amount to be advanced (estimated)	60,000,000
Bonus under land act, 1903 (without [illegible]	[illegible]
Total	$[illegible]

CONVENTION AT MANSIONHOUSE CONCLUDED

Here are the results of the Boston convention of 1903 at which Mr. William Redmond attended as Parnell's representative, with the result of the agitation for the past three years. They are given almost literally, as they were published in the platform by the convention.

First, Self-government. (Since carried in 1905 and 1906.)

Second, Land ownership. (Since carried in 1903 and 1904.)

Third, For a self government. (Since carried, in 1906.)

Fourth, Restoration of the Parliamentary and municipal franchises. (Since carried in 1884.)

Fifth, Development and encouragement of the labor and industrial interests of Ireland. (Since carried, in 1898 and 1903.)

Sixth, The creation of an occupying ownership or peasant proprietary. (Since carried, in 1887 and 1903.)

Seventh, Compulsory transfer to public bodies of uncultivated land for re-sale or letting to small farmers or laborers. (Carried by the appointment of the congested districts board, and the passage of the land act of 1903.)

Eighth, The admission of leaseholders to the land act benefits. (Since carried, in 1903 and 1904.)

Ninth, The creation of county boards and the transfer thereto of the fiscal and administrative powers of grand juries. (Carried in local government act of 1898.)

Tenth, The transfer to county boards of the management of work houses, asylums, etc., supported by local rates. (Carried in local government act of 1898.)

Eleventh, The providing of laborers' cottages with half-acre allotments of land. (Carried since, and allotment increased to an acre in 1905.)

Twelfth, To obtain [illegible] reports of the industrial capacities of the various districts and stimulate the establishment of local manufacturing and other industries. (Carried by provision in local government act of 1903.)

LAND PURCHASE ACT.

The number of tenant purchasers under the land act up to Nov. 1, 1905, was 50,000 and there would have been a great many more, but for the unfriendly construction placed upon the act by the authorities of Dublin Castle. Now, however, that the policy of Dublin Castle has been changed and that a government pledged to home rule and other reforms is in power the land act will speedily be perfected so as to effect the complete transfer of the land of Ireland to the people of Ireland as soon as possible. The high rent instalments to be paid in the purchase of farms is from 21 to 23 per cent. less than the rent paid before the purchase.

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Collector's Notice

TEWKSBURY, Mass., March 9, 1906. The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the town of Tewksbury, in the county of Middlesex and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the list committed to me as collector of taxes for said town, by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said taxes with interest and all legal costs and charges on the whole of said land, if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the town hall in said town on March 27th, 1906, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the payment of said taxes with interest, costs and charges thereon unless the same shall be previously discharged.

No. 1. Bingham, William H. Lot No. 6, situated on the north side of Dopp street, Wigginville, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1901, $13.13.

No. 2. Charteron, Joseph. Lot No. 36 and one half of lot No. 34, containing 5015 5-10 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, situated on Acton street, Riverside Park plan.
Also Lot No. 36, containing 4833 square feet, more or less, with the buildings thereon, situated on Acton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898, $13.49.
Tax for 1899, $16.87.
Tax for 1900, $15.04.

No. 3. Cornwell, Amos. House and lot on the west side of Burton street, on the corner of a proposed new street in Wigginville, Tewksbury, now owned by Henry Spencer.
Tax for 1899, $17.62.

No. 4. Callahan, James. Lot No. 11 in "Dr. Ash's Plan of land sale," containing 5½ acres, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being the land formerly owned by Pliny W. Caldwell.
Also house, barn and homestead of eight acres, more or less, situated in west part of Tewksbury.
Tax for 1899, $7.69
Tax for 1900, $7.69
Tax for 1901, $7.67.

No. 5. Dumont, Pierre. Lot No. 245, containing 3149 square feet of land, more or less.
Lot No. 246, containing 3088 square feet of land, more or less.
Lot No. 247, containing 3076 square feet of land, more or less.
Lot No. 248, containing 3074 square feet of land, more or less.
Lot No. 249, containing 3061 square feet of land, more or less.
Situated in Riverside Park, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1897, $9.75.
Tax for 1898, $11.38.
Tax for 1899, $14.17.
Tax for 1900, $18.40.
Tax for 1901, $17.55.

No. 9. Dudley, Darwin. 13,172 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 18 on plan of land entitled "Plan of the Worcester Estate," situated on Andover street and East Merrimack street, North Tewksbury.
Tax for 1900, $16.80.

No. 10. Dorsey, John. 7001 square feet of land more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 14 on "Plan of the John Allen Estate," situated on Atherton avenue and Allen street, North Tewksbury.
Tax for 1900, $4.00.

No. 11. Flynn, John. 3218 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lots No. 19 and No. 20, situated on Lawrence street, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1901, $5.25.

No. 12. Gray, Peter, Heirs of. 6 (six) acres of land more or less with the buildings thereon, situated on Billerica street and Salem street, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1898, $12.58.
Tax for 1899, $52.81.
Tax for 1900, $56.00.
Tax for 1901, $52.50.

No. 13. Gregoire, Joseph. 3542 sq. feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 265, situated on Denton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1900, $20.00.
Tax for 1901, $18.75.

No. 14. Handlin, Hector. 2952 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 194 on Riverside Park plan.
Also 3000 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lots Nos. 191 and 192, situated on Bolton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898, $8.45.
Tax for 1899, $10.55.
Tax for 1900, $8.00.
Tax for 1901, $7.50.

No. 16. Lee, Joseph. No. 39 Epping street, on the northerly side, with the buildings thereon, situated in Wigginville, being part of the olive M. Whipple estate.
Tax for 1901, $37.88.

No. 17. Marston, John H. 8 acres of land more or less with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of Tewksbury near Long Pond, so called, on Whipple road.
Tax for 1897, $1.88.
Tax for 1898, $4.88.
Tax for 1899, $6.07.
Tax for 1901, $5.03.

No. 18. Marchand, Celimare. 18,711 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lots Nos. 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 181. Lots Nos. 234, 235, 236, 237, 238 each containing 2500 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon. Lot No. 239 containing 2774 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon. Lot No. 181 containing 3437 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon. All of said lots being situated on Clifton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898, $14.30.
Tax for 1899, $17.82.
Tax for 1900, $14.40
Tax for 1901, $13.50.

No. 19. Mallie, Flavian—Lots Nos. 223 and 224 each containing 2500 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, said lots being situated on Clifton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898, $12.35.
Tax for 1899, $15.39.
Tax for 1900, $14.40.
Tax for 1901, $13.50.

No. 20. McEachran, Dugald—2606 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 177. Also 1438 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 178, said lots being situated on Bolton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1899 $7.29.
Tax for 1900 $7.20.
Tax for 1901 $6.75.

No. 21. Roach, Simon. 56 79-100 acres of land more or less, with the buildings thereon, situated on the road leading from Tewksbury Centre to Lowell, being estate of Zeb. Rogers.
Tax for 1898, $7.58.
Tax for 1899, $11.76.
Tax for 1900, $8.00.
Tax for 1901, $8.63.

No. 22. Robidoux, Alfred—2818 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 412. Also 4638 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 413.
Also 6237 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon being lot No. 414, said three lots being situated on Felton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1899 $16.18.
Tax for 1900 $10.40.
Tax for 1901 $9.75.

No. 23. Rollins, Michael. 1200 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lots No. 4 and No. 7 on Billerica st., Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1901, $1.00.

No. 24. Seldon, John. 30 acres of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, situated in the northwest part of Tewksbury, on the south side of a cross road leading from the main road from Lowell to Tewksbury Centre to the Whipple road.
Tax for 1897 $5.20.
Tax for 1898 $5.85.
Tax for 1899 $7.29.
Tax for 1900 $7.20.
Tax for 1901 $6.75.

No. 25. Savageau, Emile. Lots No. 128 and No. 129, each containing 2700 square feet more or less, with the buildings thereon, said lots being in Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898, $7.15.
Tax for 1899, $10.17.
Tax for 1900, $10.00.
Tax for 1901, $9.37.

No. 26. Supernent, Cousimer. 2940 square feet, more or less, of land with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 57. Also 2001 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 58, both of said lots being situated on Acton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898 $7.48.
Tax for 1899 $10.53.
Tax for 1900 $10.01.
Tax for 1901 $9.37.

No. 27. Stack, John. 403 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon being lot No. 5 situated on the north side of Atherton ave. Also 12,784 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon comprising lots Nos. 15-16-17-18-19, situated on the easterly side of Atherton ave., No. Tewksbury, being part of the John Allen estate in Tewksbury.
Tax for 1898, $1.65.
Tax for 1899, $5.67.
Tax for 1900, $2.80.
Tax for 1901, $2.63.

No. 28. Houlin, Joseph. 2567 69-100 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon being lot No. 5 situated on Warwick st., Tewksbury.
Tax for 1900, $14.00.

No. 29. Benford, Luther—2000 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon being lot No. 66 on South side of Billerica st., Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1901, $6.00.

No. 30. Wheelock, A. C.—40 acres, 71 square rods of land, more or less, being the Kittredge land so called, situated on Billerica st., No. Lowell, Tewksbury. Also 2013 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 40. Also 2763 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 41. Said two lots being situated on Billerica st., Riverside Park plan, Tewksbury. Also 2964 square feet of land more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 285. Also 2274 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 286. Said two lots being situated on Billerica st., Riverside Park plan, Tewksbury. Also lot No. 12 containing 1138 8-10 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 18, containing 2700 square feet of land more or less; lot No. 21, containing 2008 square feet of land, more or less, lot No. 22, containing 2277 20-100 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 23, containing 3200 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 24, 2732 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 29, 4367 4-10 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 30, 4404 55-100 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 35, 5313 6-10 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 38, 3120 6-10 square feet of land more or less. All of the aforesaid lots with the buildings thereon, being part of the Frye estate and situated on the west side of Lawrence st., Riverside Park plan, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1899, $73.41.
Tax for 1900, $76.00.
Tax for 1901, $186.00.

No. 31. Williamson, Wm. E.—2700 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 14; 2785 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 15; 2790 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 16; 2775 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 17; 2770 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 18. All of the aforesaid lots with the buildings thereon being situated on Almont ave., So. Lowell, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1897, $13.98.
Tax for 1898, $14.56.
Tax for 1899, $18.63.

No. 32. Whitely, Samuel—¼ acre of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, situated on Pleasant st., Tewksbury Centre.
Tax for 1901, $13.87.

A. ERNEST CLARK,
Collector of Taxes.

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ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS

The Ancient Order of Hibernians made a grand turnout, about 1500 appearing in the five local divisions and a much larger number in the divisions from out of town. The Hibernians never made such a fine appearance in line, never were matter results so well turned out in such full ranks. The leaders of this organization, the division marshals and officers might well feel proud of the prominent and creditable part taken by the order in today's celebration.

THE MILITARY COMPANIES.

Of course the military companies in parade take the palm so far as martial bearing is concerned and in this case their military bearing, measured tread and finely executed movements were everywhere admired and applauded.

IRISH VOLUNTEERS.

The Fifth Regiment of the Irish Volunteers made an excellent showing in the parade. The men showed the result of careful training and their marching was well nigh perfect. Under the command of Major Graham of Methuen the companies kept fine alignment and were cheered along the route of parade. Major Graham rode a fine black charger which he sent to this city from Lawrence yesterday afternoon, and his staff was well mounted and presented a fine appearance.

THE FLOATS.

A notable feature of the day was the prize floats, one of which represented the thirty-two counties of Ireland, the Goddess of Liberty and crowned queen of Erin. The young ladies personating the two leading characters and the counties were members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., of which Miss Della Conway, one of the brightest girls of Lowell, is president. The same society had other attractive floats in line.

The float of the United Irish league portrayed a scene that touches every Irish heart. When Emmet stood in the dock and made his last speech, he requested that his epitaph should not be written until Ireland shall have taken her place among the nations of the earth. The float entitled "Ireland's Hope" shows the sunburst of Erin, and represents the goddess of Liberty proclaiming that the time has come to write the epitaph of Emmet.

Then there is a representation of a grass covered grave with a tombstone on which the queen of Erin is inscribing Emmet's epitaph. In the rear are two Irish bards in the ancient costume waking the harp to paeans of joy after it slumbered for centuries or vibrated only to the threnodies of the nation's woe.

AWAITING THE SIGNAL GUN.

From noon till the time for starting the parade was a period of suspense. Many of the companies stood in readiness to move, only awaiting the boom of the cannon that was the signal for starting the great procession. During this period also the crowd along the streets became greater and pressed more closely on the companies while long before the signal gun was fired a solid wall of humanity lined the route on both sides, men, women and children in lens of thousands willing partakers in the cold to get a view of the greatest parade of the kind in the history of Lowell.

FORMATION OF PARADE.

The formation of the parade was as follows:

Platoon of Police,
Deputy Redmond Welch in Command.
Lynn Brass Band.

Chief Marshal Humphrey commanding and Staff: Fred H. Routh, chief of staff; John J. O'Connell, adjutant; Rev. James Gilday, chaplain; Dr. Frank O'Sullivan, surgeon; Dr. Thomas J. O'Donnell, chief and carriages containing clergymen, invited guests, oldest Hibernian in America, and the press.

Aids: John P. Carley, John Kelley, John Collins, Henry Watson, J. H. Carroll, John Linehan, Frank O'Neil, J. Mullen, D. A. Reardon, J. P. Quinn, G. F. Greene, Philip Holland, Lawrence, Mass.; P. T. McMahon, W. S. Grady, Thomas Donohue, P. F. Welch, J. F. Rogers, R. A. Collopy, J. T. Sparks, William Nelligan, John Barrett, James Freeman, Anthony Conway, Timothy Reagan, Hugh Vaughan, John Brady, Dennis Lane, J. Mann, Andrews, George Enright, Thomas McBoney, Ed. Mooney, Ed. Lavery, Edward Gallagher, Dr. Porter, Harry Noyes, Dr. J. H. Sparks, James McMahon, Michael Reynolds, James McDonald, Dr. Smith, Patrick O'Hearn, Major Condon, Charles Hanson, Dr. Lawler, James Gray, Edward Twohey, Richard Welch, James Spillane, Jno. R. Martin, Michael Hessian, Denis Murphy, Thomas Lawler, Patrick Conroy, M. J. Haggerty, Morris Quinn, John T. McCarron, John Dunfey, Daniel Redding, William McCluskey, John Ford, Peter Clune, Andrew Grey, William Mahoney, Lawrence, Mass.; Dominick Dimeslona, Matthew Connor, Denis O'Brien, Warren Riordan, William Cawley, William Gookin, Hon. C. F. Lynch, Lawrence, Mass.; J. F. Tensey, Charles H. Richards, Andrew Welch, James Walsh, Thomas F. Duffey, Joseph McCaffrey, Mr. H. J. Kelley, James H. Jones, John W. Daly, John Hickey, Patrick J. Clark, Jeremiah Ryan, Joseph Donovan, Esq., Lawrence, Mass.; Ralph W. Page, Cambridge, Mass.; G. Edward Buxton, Jr., Cambridge, Mass.; H. Spencer Allen, Cambridge, Mass.; Timothy Coffey, John Rourke, Cornelius Daly, James O'Brien, George F. Keefe, Cecil L. Adams, Henry L. Rourke.

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DIVISION ONE.

Lowell Cadet Band, John J. Giblin, Leader.
Regiment of State Militia.
Capt. Philip McNulty of M Company Acting Colonel; Capt. Colby T. Kittredge, inspector of rifle practice of the Sixth Regiment, Acting Adjutant, Acting Colonel's Staff.

FIRST BATTALION.

Commanded by Capt. Kennedy of L Company of Lawrence, Acting Major.
L Company of Lawrence, Commanded by Lieut. Greene, Acting Captain and Lieut. Sherwin.
M Company of Lowell, Commanded by Lieut. Benj. McArdle, Acting Captain.
F Company of Lawrence, Capt. Frank Donovan; Lieuts. Foley and Bolles.
H Company of East Boston, Captain Patrick H. Sullivan, Lieuts. Edermott and McWeeney.

MARTIN MORAN,
Marshal of Division 1, A. O. H.

SECOND BATTALION.

Captain Schanler of I Company of Concord, Acting Major.
I Company of Concord, Commanded by Lieut. James H. Holman, Acting Captain; Lieut. William J. Byron.
C Company of Lowell, Captain Gardner W. Pearson; Lieuts. J. Douglas Rice and J. Joseph Haley.
G Company of Lowell, Commanded by Lieut. Pearl Darrell.
H Company of Stoneham, Capt. Duncan M. Stewart; Lieut. Arthur T. Ireland.

THIRD BATTALION.

Captain George Riordan of Manchester, Acting Major.
H Company, First Infantry of Manchester, N. H., Captain Riordan.
M Company, First Infantry of Nashua, N. H., Captain Boynton.
E Company, First Infantry of Nashua, N. H., Captain Stanton.
I Company, First Infantry of Nashua, N. H., Captain Sullivan.

FOURTH BATTALION.

Captain Edgar G. Holt of Lawrence, Acting Major.
L Company, Eighth Regiment of Lawrence, Captain Holt.
K Company, Eighth Regiment of Somerville, Captain Stearns.
E Company, Naval Reserves of Lynn—Commanded by Lieut. John B. Blood.
Reeves's Band.
Battalion of Irish Volunteers.
Major Peter Graham of Methuen, Commanding.

JOHN C. ROURKE,
President of Division 5, A. O. H.

Lieut. Kieran, Chief of Staff.
Wolf Tone Guards of Lowell—Captain Patrick Fitzgerald, Lieut. Monahan.
Grattan Guards of Lawrence—Captain, Patrick Lucy.
A Company of Haverhill—Captain Driscoll.
Emmetts of Lynn—Captain McHugh.
E Company of Lowell—Captain Leary, Lieuts. Boyle and Daly.
Emmetts of Manchester—Captain Monahan.
Battalion of O. M. I. Cadets.
Major Russell Harrington.
Adjutant Charles Sarrell.
Sergt. Major Joseph Kelley.
Quartermaster Frederick McAloon.
A Company—Captain James A. McMannon; First Lieut. James Mullaney; Second Lieut. Edward Curtin.
B Company—Captain Paul Clark; First Lieut. James Cooney; Second Lieut. Joseph Bosca.
C Company—Captain Charles Kenefick; First Lieut. Thomas Clark; Second Lieut. Frank Haggerty.
D Company—Captain George O'Connor, First Lieut. Joseph McGarvey; Second Lieut. Frank Riley.

DIVISION TWO.

Composed entirely of Hibernians of this and other cities of Massachusetts and New Hampshire.
Marshal Nicholas Soroghan.
Representatives on the marshal's staff from Div. 5, A. O. H., Lowell, Thomas Casey and Timothy Kennedy; Div. 11, A. O. H., Lowell, Hugh McNealy and John Kenney; Div. 2, A. O. H., Lowell, James Connors and John B. Cluney; Div. 18, A. O. H., Lowell, John Thompson and Peter Higgins.
Aids: Messrs. Peter J. McGuarvey, Peter P. McMannon, Frank Murren, Michael McDonald, Peter Flood, Dr. Edward J. Murphy, Patrick Roland, George Keefe, Michael Rourke, Joseph H. Flynn, Thomas O'Hearn, Thomas Cuff, Hugh McGregan, Andrew J. Roach, John J. Flanagan and Thaddeus McNamara.

Band.

Hibernian Rifles of Lawrence, Maj. M. F. Ryan, C. J. Callahan, captain.

Band.

Division 1, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal Martin Moran.
Division 2, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal Thomas Lynch.
Carriage containing chaplain of Div. 2, A. O. H., Rev. J. P. Reynolds, O. M. I.

Band.

Division 1, A. O. H., of Manchester, N. H., Marshal John Shea.
Division 2, A. O. H., of Manchester, N. H., Marshal John Healey.
Division 7, A. O. H., of Manchester, N. H., Marshal P. H. O'Malley.
Division 11, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal John F. Miskella.
Division 28, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal John Cotter.

Band.

Division 1, A. O. H., of Lawrence, Marshal Richard F. Nugent.
Division 8, A. O. H., of Lawrence, Marshal Cornelius M. Casey.
Division 13, A. O. H., of Lawrence, Marshal Patrick Webb.

Band.

Division 14, A. O. H., of Haverhill, Marshal H. F. McKenna.
Division 8, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal Michael O'Rourke.
Division 2, A. O. H., of Nashua, N. H., Marshal John Sweeney.
Division 1, A. O. H., of Nashua, N. H., Marshal James Scanlon.
Division 7, A. O. H., of Ayer, Marshal Edward S. Dwyer.

DIVISION THREE.

Comprising members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the local Hibernians and members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Lawrence.
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United Irish League float, entitled Ireland's Hope or Erin writing Emmet's epitaph.

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THOMAS J. LYNCH,
Marshal of Division 2, A. O. H.

Evoy, George Harrigan, John J. Hogan and Robert E. Crowley.

DIVISION FOUR.

Comprising Catholic societies of the city.
Marshal Timothy F. Rohan.
Adjutant John Keegan.
Chief Aid John J. Carroll.
Aids—Messrs. Frank J. McCarthy, Patrick Higgins, James Rooney, Frederick Welch, Thomas Fitzgerald, Thomas Maloney, John Smith, Edward O'Neil, Charles Leary, Thomas Lyons, John F. Murphy, John F. A. Sullivan.
Somerville Cornet, Fife and Drum Corps.
Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of St. Patrick's church.
Marshal John Brodley.
Aids—Frank Sullivan, William Sullivan.

MICHAEL T. O'ROURKE,
Marshal of Division 8, A. O. H.

Chelmsford Centre Brass Band.
Burke Temperance Institute, Marshal Frank Duggan.
Holy Name Society of the Sacred Heart Church, in Carriages.
Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's church in Carriages.
Portuguese Band of Lawrence.
St. Anthony's Portuguese Benefit Society of Lowell, Marshal Anibal Souza.
St. Patrick's Fife and Drum Corps.
Sacred Heart Sodality of St. Patick's Church, Marshal Edward White.

ROUTE OF PARADE.

The line of march will be as follows: The procession moves at 1.30 down Broadway, to Suffolk, to Merrimack to be reviewed by the city council and

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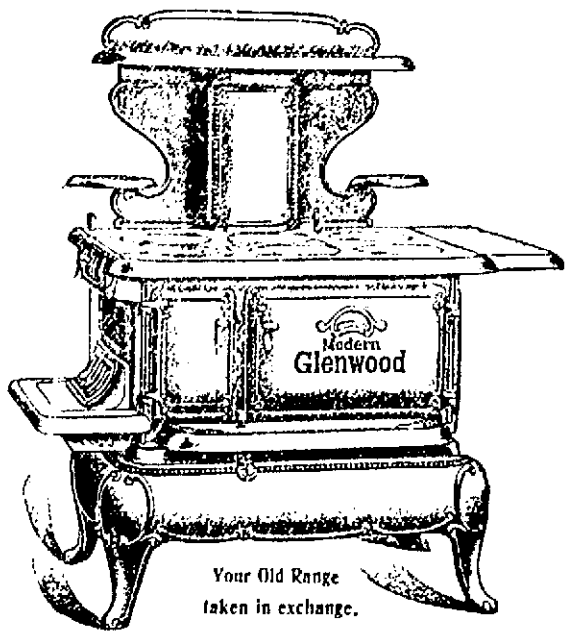
Don't Blame The Cook



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Concert Program
For March 17th, Band of 20 Pieces

March, Come Back to Erin.
Schottische, Pretty Girl Milking Her Cow.
Waltz, Shamrock, (New.)
Skate Step, Believe Me.
Schottische, Minstrel Boy.
Waltz, Acushla Machree.
Two Step, Killarney.
Waltz, Sweet Inniscarra.
Schottische, The Harp That Once.
Waltz, St. Patrick's Day.
March, Irish Washerwoman.
Music Interspersed With Patriotic Airs.

SESSIONS—10 to 1; 1 to 4.30; 4.30 to 7; 7 to 9.30; 9.30 to 11.30.

ADMISSION FREE SKATES, 25c

Grand Concert
OF
Irish Airs and Melodies
In Aid of St. John's Hospital at ASSOCIATE HALL
Sunday Ev'g, March 18, 1906
At 8 o'clock p. m.
K. of C. Table. Tickets, 25c.

CONCERT
—BY THE—
Orpheus Male Chorus
Of Lawrence—Fifty Voices
MR. GEORGE F. HAMER, Conductor
In the First Trinitarian Congregational Church
Dutton Street, Lowell, Mass.
Tuesday, Mar. 20, 1906, at 8 p. m.
Under the Auspices of the Chorus and Choir
Tickets 25c and 35c. At C. E. Austin's Music Store, 19 Bridge Street.

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Continued.

judges as they pass city hall. Merrimack to Central, to Gorham to Davis square, to Concord, to Church, to Andover, to High, to Bartlett, to Fayette, to East Merrimack, to Bridge, to Sixth, countermarch to Bridge, to Merrimack to Monument square to be reviewed by the chief marshal and staff, and be dismissed.

JUDGES OF THE PARADE.

Col. Donovan Lawrence, Mass.
Col. Sullivan, Manchester, N. H.
Major John J. Sullivan, Boston, Mass.
Major Robert J. Crowley, Lowell Mass.
Capt. James B. Crowley, Nashua, N. H.

DECORATIONS

GREAT DISPLAY OF FLAGS AND BUNTING IN THE CITY

The decorations throughout the city are most elaborate.

On the streets through which the parade moved about every store and house was decorated, while streets branching off from the regular route sported fine displays. TThe principal decorations are given below

FLETCHER STREET.

B. F. Butler Veteran Firemen's Association, Miss Mary A. Long.

BROADWAY.

O'Brien's drug store, Mrs. Peter Brady, Dennis Harrington, Fielding's fruit store, Anthony Lavery & Sons, Florence Murphy & Co., Green's fish market, Martin Sullivan, Frank E. McNabb, Alice A. McNabb & Co., J. J. Kennedy & Co., Patrick Daly.

ADAMS STREET.

P. F. Cox & Co., John J. Sullivan.

SUFFOLK STREET.

Rose A. Riley, St. Patrick's parochial residence, Cornius Daly, H. Coffey, C. Y. M. I.

CROSS STREET

Peter F. Lyons.

MARKET STREET.

P. Keyes Jr., John Lennon, Waverly hotel, F. A. McQuade, R. W. Stickney.

MERRIMACK STREET

A. C. Bo Lux, Frank Ricard, Fredericks F. Pierre Bourgeois, George B. Mansfield, F. P. Low, Thos. Fay, Geo. H. Ward, John Low, Chas. Harrington, Lang's drug store, O'Sullivan Bros., Harry L. Timmons, Merrimack Clothing Co., Knights of Columbus, Merrimac house, The Sun building, the Trivoli, T. H. Boyle, Howes' drug store Lowell Gaslight company, D. L. Page company, A. G. Pollard, Joseph E. Shanley, Cook & Taylor, Bon Marche, Mme. Gergoire, White store, Rug & Co., Snyder Bros., M. L. Delude, Prince & Son, Bailey's drug store, Steinert & Co., Gilbride's, O'Donnell Dry Goods Co., James J. Gallagher.

TILDEN STREET.

John P. Connors.

WORTHEN STREET.

William S. Grady, L. P. Turcotte.

MOODY STREET.

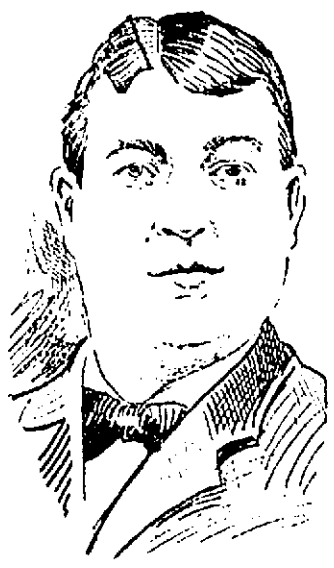
John Donohoe.

DUTTON STREET.

Academy of Music.

BRIDGE STREET.

Cornock's bakery, Andrew F. Roach, parochial residences, corner Bridge and Sixth, C. W. Twombley, George H. Miller, Denis O'Brien, Martin E. Duffy, Lavery's bakery, S. F. Morin, Thomas J. Kennedy, Central Plumbing Co., J. W. McKenna, J. H. Hovey.



JOHN A. COTTER.
Marshal of Division 28, A. O. H.

MAJOR P. J. GRAHAM.
Commander of Irish Volunteer Regiment.

JOHN STREET.

Rose Jordan Hartford, Nichols & Co., John Street Market.

MIDDLE STREET.

George L. Green, The Harvard.

CENTRAL STREET.

Central street, last night, not only boasted of Irish and American flags, but there were green lights in abundance. Some of the decorations were on a small scale but the majority of them were quite elaborate and the paraders today will march with the inspiration of band music augmented by waving flags. Leaving Central street from Merrimack street and continuing to Davis square the following places attract [illegible] their decorations.

Brownwald's Music store, [illegible] Phonograph company, Lowell Inn, H. Clay Pierce Matthews hall, W. [illegible] & Co., J. A. Fuller, [illegible] Shoe store, F. P. McCann & Co., Jewelers, Putnam & Sawyer, Merrimack House, Edwards Dry Goods, Grand Union store, [illegible] Bon Marche store, Wm. Cullen, [illegible] Cracker Bros. cracker [illegible] at this store were [illegible] pretty last night. Green lights were in evidence in doors and windows and windows and sidewalks were broke [illegible] A. Lacouvee, fruit and confectionery, 70 Central st. Towers Central [illegible] Herne' dining rooms.

GORHAM STREET

Wm. J. Collins Boiled Clam Shop store, 10 Murphy, steamship agent, 199½ Appleton street, Good's lunch room, 66 Gorham street, Boston Boot Direct, McClinchey & Co., liquors, J. Dean, dry goods, Miss Mary Guilford dry goods, Mr. James Smith, 90 Gorham street, Mrs. Catherine McCarthy bakery, Markham & Co., Bon ts, old 66 O. M. Donohoe & Co., C. Callahan meat store, H. F. Carr, pool room, Geo. Zalos cutlery, P. T. Donnelly, 48 Gorham street, Carroll's bakery, Joseph Flynn's meat market, C. L. Marden & Co., Bon ts, N. Surogan, tailor, Saunders market, Susie Cristofoli, tea and coffee, D. T. McKinnon M. S. Findel photographs and bicycles, James Carolan, confectioner, Alvazo Castellino, 200 Gorham street, M. McClinchey, meat store, William Bros., meat store, Phelan's pharmacy, H. J. Murphy, 249 Gorham street, B. M. & A. Freeman, Kirby & O'Brien, Francis E. Flanders, A. J. Donohoe, The Hub, John Kinsella, J. H. Corbett, meat store, Edward Martin, groceries, A. B. Humphrey, livery stable, M. Murphy, general store, Joseph Leary, barber, St. Anthony's church, Sheridan's meat market, James E. Freeman, grocer, Mary Fitzsimmons, tenement, Runels block, Jean Stevens, jewelry, A. F. Story, drug store.

The residence of Patrick Whalen at the corner of Gorham and South streets is decked with American flags and a huge Irish flag was draped from the centre window.

On Summer street, Thomas Stanton had a neat display of flags draped along the front of his home.

BACK CENTRAL STREET.

Patrick Welch, plumber, James McDermott, bakery.

Other decorations in Back Central street included those at J. J. O'Connell's undertaking establishment. These decorations were very elaborate. The whole front of the building was draped with American flags entwined with green and a large picture of St. Patrick had its position above the door.

Peter McCusker, variety store.

Reardon Bros., shoe store.

Michael Murray, private residence, corner of Central and Abbott streets.

C. M. Allen, fish market.

F. J. Mellen, pawnbroker, decorations by John F. McNulty.

J. B. Albert Johnson, drug store.

Coughlin & Co., dry goods.

Opera House and Opera House cafe.

Pearson's drug store, corner of Central and Appleton streets.

Never before in the history of the old Washington Tavern, Lowell's oldest hostelry, has it bloomed with colors as bright as those that adorn it today. The decorations are among the most elaborate in the city and the arrangement of flags and streamers is decidedly artistic. Surmounting the piazza is a large picture of Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, the chief marshal, and a new cheer has been added to the appearance of George Washington whose face adorns the hanging sign that points the way to the tavern.

CHURCH STREET.

The large building occupied by Peter H. Donohoe and William A. Ingham is elaborately decorated. The entire front of the block is trimmed with American and Irish flags and streamers of red, white and blue.

Other places decorated on this street are those of Thomas Duhig, McNabb Bros., T. Holland, Daniel Lynch, A. A. Robinson, Thomas Fahey, Mary A. Mehan, Martin Conley, and the boarding house of John Brady. Across the corner of Church street a series of American, Irish, Spanish flags

FRANK P. DUGGAN.
Marshal of Burke Temperance Institute.

CAPTAIN PATRICK FITZGERALD,
Of West Lane Guards.

CONCORD STREET

On Concord street the stores of Hugh [illegible] Dolan and George Deverell are [illegible] in the exercises with the [illegible] and the flag of Ireland.

On High street the most pretentious display is made by James Flood the front of whose store is covered with flags and bunting.

EAST MERRIMACK STREET

The Wood Flour drug store has a fine window display and the exterior decorations are [illegible] arranged. At the Mechanics bowling alleys and William V. Merrill's store the entire front of the place is filled in bunting and flags, while long streamers are strung from the top to the bottom of the building.

A. O. H. HALL

The decorations on Hibernian hall were put up seven days ago and were somewhat disarranged by the storm. Immense American and Irish flags were draped from window to window and between were hung other flags and streamers. The decorations on this building extended around the Prescott street side. James J. McGuinness who occupies a store in this building had displayed the flag of Cuba flanked by the stars and stripes. Over the entrance to the building were two large American flags. The offices of John McManus and Edward Cawley in the same building were draped with green and white bunting with a large American flag hung for a centerpiece.

LADIES' AUXILIARY

PUTS OUT TWO FINE FLOATS IN THE PARADE

While the men were more numerous in the parade the ladies were well represented and made a most charming appearance greatly enhancing the beauty of the spectacle. The ladies headed by the officers of the A. O. H. and the Ladies' Auxiliary, followed by the Lowell [illegible] and their [illegible] and their [illegible] parade [illegible] among them were [illegible] counties [illegible] to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Att.	From Boston Lve.	Att.
5 00	6.50	6.00	7.10
6.25	7.40	6.53	7.29
6.33	7.51	7.34	8.54
6.47	7.58	8.15	8.19
7.01	8.00	9.00	9.37
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.31
7.31	8.50	10.17	11.30
7.48	8.35	11.31	12.05
7.51	8.55	12.00	12.55
8.00	9.22	1.00	1.37
8.49	9.30	2.00	3.05
9.33	10.19	3.00	3.37
11.07	12.09	3.47	5.00
11.33	12.19	4.05	4.44
12.12	1.00	4.44	5.30
1.43	2.28	5.00	5.37
2.51	3.44	5.33	6.25
3.47	4.50	5.47	6.54
4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
5.23	6.15	7.20	8.06
5.49	7.00	8.30	9.08
6.12	7.35	10.30	11.34
7.31	8.15	11.29	12.41

BUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	9.55	8.00	9.10
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.35	4.50	3.03	6.25
5.35	6.55	8.40	9.35
9.45	9.55		

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Att.	From Boston Lve.	Att.
6.50	7.55	7.30	8.31
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.34
9.25	10.39	10.35	11.45
10.34	11.55	11.50	1.05
12.07	1.22	2.15	3.15
12.47	1.40	3.30	4.50
2.25	3.22	4.50	5.50
3.10	4.05	7.00	7.02
3.35	5.00	6.35	7.45
5.00	7.40	9.40	10.35
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6.15	7.10		
7.03	8.00		
9.30	10.24		

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SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.30	7.30	8.00	10.00
7.21	8.05	10.00	10.52
8.48	9.45	11.30	12.02
9.20	10.35	1.00	2.52
10.30	11.35	3.00	3.35
2.23	3.27	7.30	8.05
5.10	6.00	8.30	9.08
6.15	6.55	9.00	10.02
7.31	8.15	10.16	11.21

LOCAL NEWS

Vote for Joe Wall.

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NEGRO HANGED

HE ASSAULTED A FIVE-YEAR-OLD GIRL

WASHINGTON, Georgia, March 17.—Richard Andrews, colored, was hanged here yesterday afternoon at two o'clock for criminally assaulting a five-year-old girl on January 26.

BANK CASHIER

ARRESTED ON A CHARGE OF EMBEZZLEMENT

HAZLETON, Pa., March 17.—F. M. Everett, cashier of the First National bank of Freeland, was arrested here last night on the charge of embezzling $36,900 from the institution. William Beckley, a lawyer, of Bloomsburg, also was arrested on the charge of conspiracy. Both warrants were sworn out by A. S. Oswald, president of the bank, before U. S. Commissioner Hill, who committed the accused men without bail for a further hearing tomorrow when a national bank examiner will be here.

SWEPT BY FIRE

Business Section of Village Wiped Out

DETROIT, Mich., March 1.—A special from White Pigeon, Mich., says: The business section of this village was nearly wiped out yesterday by a fire which started in the furniture store of Alfred Wicket. Only seven more buildings remain of the business section. The fire destroyed two saloons, the postoffice and barber shop, the Farmers savings bank and several stores. The total loss will probably not exceed $25,000.

IRISH CONCERT

AT ASSOCIATE HALL TOMORROW EVENING

Tomorrow evening at Associate hall a grand Irish concert will be given by the Knights of Columbus table at the coming festival in aid of St. John's hospital. The program will be as follows:

Medley of Irish airs
St. Peter's Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar club, under direction of Mr. Hovey
Solo, "Come Back, Kathleen"
Master Gerald Beane.
Solo, Selected.....Mr. Thomas Bonliger
Violin solo, "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Hall"
Mr. Charles King.
Solo, "The Last Rose of Summer"
Miss Teresa Mahoney.
Reading, Selected...Miss Lillian O'Brien
Solo, "Believe Me"...Eugene McCarthy
Violin solo, selected
Miss Agnes Williams
Solo, "The Wearing of the Green"
Mr. D. J. Donahue.
Solo, "Killarney"
Miss Margaret Flanagan.
Solo, "Ireland, I Love Thee"
Mr. Frank O'Conlon.
Solo, "Come Back, to Erin"
Miss Mabel Lee.
Reading, "Shamus O'Brien"
Mr. James Coughlin.
Grand chorus, Medley of Irish Airs
Chorus of sixty voices, under direction of Mr. Courtney.
Accompanists, Miss Emetta Marin, Mr. John Kelly.

"A CLOSE CALL"

"A Close Call" will be the subject at the Young Men's Christian association meeting for men in the First Trinitarian church tomorrow afternoon. Rev. Harry Taylor, associate pastor of the First Baptist church, being the speaker. Music will be furnished by French's orchestra, the selections including: Overture, "Silver Bell," Schlepegrell; "The Wayside Chapel," G. L. Wilson; saxophone solo, "Asleep in the Deep," H. W. Petrie. Doors open at 3, program at 3.30. All men invited.

OLDEST IRISHMAN

Mr. Peter Riley is 90 Years of Age

PETER RILEY, THE OLDEST IRISHMAN IN LOWELL AND THE OLDEST HIBERNIAN IN AMERICA.

And Rides in the Parade Today—He is the Oldest Hibernian in America Having Joined the Order 72 Years Ago — He Has Resided in Lowell for 61 Years

Seventy-two years a Hibernian, 61 years a resident of Lowell, 59 years a voter in Lowell and within three months of being 90 years, is the record of Mr. Peter Riley, of 61 Butterfield street, the grand old Irishman of Lowell.

Mr. Riley has participated in St. Patrick's Day processions before some of the "old men" in line were born and it was with great pleasure that he accepted the invitation of Chief Marshal O'Sullivan, a neighbor of his, by the way, to ride with the "Soggarths" in the parade today.

"Sure," said Mr. Riley, "I would be a shame not to be able to ride when you are to be in such fine company." And the old gentleman carefully and tenderly bundled up by his faithful daughters lest he catch cold during the long ride, took his place in the parade at the appointed hour and none of all the gay cavalcade was prouder.

Mr. Riley is a most interesting old gentleman. He is a striking exception to the scriptural age limitation and to Shakespeare's seventh age for while twenty years beyond the allotted threescore and ten he is today happy, contented, in good health and buoyant spirits and has practically none of the infirmities that attend old age generally. His memory is good and his sight and hearing perfect, and he has gone through life without ever putting on a pair of eye-glasses, and withal he is a man who worked hard most of his life at the rough work of a stone mason. He attributes his old age to the fact that he didn't dissipate in his younger days.

Mr. Riley was born June 1, 1816, in the parish of Aughavass, County Leitrim, where he lived until he was 29 years of age, when he embarked on a sailing vessel for the great American land of promise.

In August, 1834, when he was 18 years of age, a division of Hibernians was organized in his native town and he became a charter member. Thus he has been a Hibernian almost 72 years for he has never left the organization. After coming to this country in 1845 for 20 years he sent his dues by mail to the old country, and when division 1, A. O. H., was organized in this city he transferred his membership from the division in his native place to the local organization, becoming one of the earliest members. He was a regular attendant at all its meetings until within a few years when rheumatism made it a hardship for him to climb the long flight of stairs to Hibernian hall. In the days gone by he was one of the most popular members of the division and the life of its social gatherings. Possessed of a natural vein of wit and humor, he was also musically inclined and division 1's soirees were never complete without the happy presence of Peter Riley.

Mr. Riley upon sailing to this country came direct to Lowell and has resided here ever since. He made the trip to this country in five weeks and three days, the time in those days being considered a quick trip. He went to work as a stone mason for William E. Livingston, "Old King" Livingston, as he was called, father of the present William E. Livingston, the latter now an old man himself. At that time Mr. Livingston was the leading building contractor in these parts and built most of the mills here. Mr. Riley recalls being sent to Lawrence by Mr. Livingston to do a job, and finding Lawrence to be a settlement of only three houses. He worked on the construction of most of the local mills and also upon St. Patrick's church at which he has been a constant attendant since that parish was established and during the dark days of Know-nothingism did sentinel duty with other faithful parishioners at its doors. He was employed on the building of the Boston and Lowell railroad and the tunnel in the rear of the northern depot.

He worked in 1845 on the foundation of the five-story brick mill in Jackson street which on April 1st of the following year collapsed one morning just as the people had started to go to work. Mr. Riley was entering the Hamilton mill yard at the time and he saw the accident.

He tells of an interesting story of how the brick from the mill fell into the canal running along Jackson street and choked it up so that all the mills in the city were shut off from a water supply and had to close down down until the canal was cleared out. At that time the Western canal was the only one in operation. Other canals were built soon after and Mr. Riley was employed on the masonry work of all of them. He worked nineteen months on the Moody street canal in later years.

When Mr. Riley came here he took up his residence in the old "Acre" district, then an exclusively Irish settlement, and he has never left it, living almost within the shadow of the church which he helped to erect, through all these years. When he came to Lowell, Fr. James McDermott was at St. Mary's, afterward St. Patrick's, and Fr. Conway at St. Peter's, and a little wooden structure served as a church. There was not another Catholic church north of Lowell this side of Canada. A missionary named Fr. Daly travelled through the settlements in New Hampshire and Vermont singing mass in houses, meeting places, etc.

For 40 years Mr. Riley has not missed an election and though some few years ago he stated that he would not go to vote any more, when the carriage called at his door on election day he always responded with "Well, this will be the last time" and went to the polls. He was a staunch democrat and voted for Mayor Crowley last election day. He was a great admirer of the late General Butler from Gov. Gardner's time when General Butler in the legislature fought to have the "reading and writing clause" as it was called modified in the law relative to citizenship. Through General Butler's effort the bill was passed with all aliens who came here before 1855 exempt from the "reading and writing clause" which made it necessary for all applicants for citizenship to be able to read and write. During the famine years thousands came here from Ireland who were unable to read and write but who possessed of good intelligence, honesty and perseverance, even though without education, soon began to make a success of life in the new country. All these would have been debarred from becoming citizens but for the championship of their cause by General Butler.

In 1855 Mr. Riley married a Miss Mary Riley who came here at even an earlier date than himself. His wife, who died 13 years ago, came here in 1836, the year in which Lowell was incorporated as a city, and she was present at the inauguration of Dr. Elisha Bartlett, the first mayor of Lowell. Eight children blessed their union, and of these three are alive, Misses Mary, Margaret and Annie Riley with whom and one grandson, the old gentleman has a cosy home in Butterfield street.

Fill your glasses to the brim
And drink this toast, I pray:—
"Smoke Dowd's Honest Ten Cigar
On good St. Patrick's Day."

STATE PRISON

HOWARD WHO ESCAPED FROM JAIL SENTENCED.

BOSTON, March 16.—Charles Howard, the young burglar, who with Edward Cair escaped from the Charles street jail in December, was captured a month later in New York, and pleading guilty to house breaking, was sentenced to state prison for from four to six years by Judge Stevens in the superior criminal court yesterday.

Howard stated that he is 24 years old, and the son of a former hotelkeeper.

POLICE CALLED

TROUBLE AT SWEENEY-PROKOS MATCH.

z NASHUA, N. H., March 17.—The police were called upon to quell a disturbance at a wrestling bout last night when Paul Sweeney of this city was given the decision over James Prokos of Lowell. Prokos supporters protested the umpire's decision and a disturbance ensued. No arrests were made.

STATE OFFICERS

ELECTED BY THE Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., March 17.—The sixteenth annual conference of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. in Massachusetts and Rhode Island opened yesterday afternoon with a devotional service led by State Secretary H. W. Gibson. About 375 delegates were in attendance at the banquet served afterward and in the evening session when Rev. A. A. Stockdale of Boston gave an address. The state officers were elected as follows:

President, Earle Stanley Lewis of Worcester; first vice-president, Harold D. Ripley, of Springfield; second vice-president, Allison P. Smith, of Pawtucket, R. I.; secretary, Colt C. Colburn of Southbridge; assistant secretary, Foster Bailey of Fitchburg.

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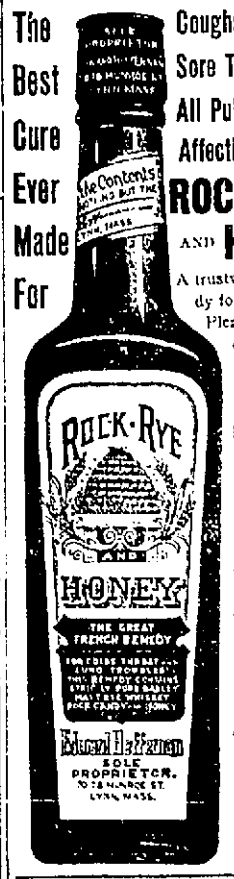

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NEW YORK March 17—Eli Lucas, a negro ex-convict who served a 20-years sentence in Kentucky for murder, last night shot three men in the Crescent cafe, 135 West 42nd street. The injured men are John Walsh and James Scott, two policemen and John Jones, manager of the cafe. The most serious injury was sustained by Scott, who was shot in the right shoulder.

Lucas had been drinking and was ordered out of the saloon whereupon he pulled successively three revolvers and emptied them at his victims. There were fifty people in the cafe at the time and a general panic took place.

Lucas, still shooting, backed out of the place and escaped. He was fired at several times as he disappeared down the street.

OPERA HOUSE

Charles H. Yale's entertaining "Devil's Auction" began a two nights' engagement, and with a matinee for this afternoon, at the Opera House last night, before a fair-sized audience. The "Devil's Auction" has been visiting our city for quite a number of years, this being the twenty-fourth version, and has always given the best of satisfaction. This year's production is on a larger scale than any of its predecessors, and last night's audience watched with great delight the trials of Carlos, the poor shepherd, in his efforts to win the fair Madeline for his bride which he accomplished in the end thanks to the good will of Crystalina, the fairy queen. The leads of the company were allotted to George M. Tapor, who as Tabey, a donkey, afterwards transformed into a man, met all sorts of accidents, his scene in "The Magic Picture Gallery" being especially startling. In the course of the evening several specialties were introduced. Lewis Dain, in imitations of Anna Held, George Cohen and Marie Dressler was very successful. Marie Elmer in A. selections and the European Grotesque artists, Les Trois Cashaos were also very favorably received. The performance closed with a magnificent transformation entitled Aves.

MOVING PICTURES NEXT SUNDAY

The popular and high class moving pictures to be conducted by Mr. Alcide L. Shepard at the Opera House tomorrow afternoon and evening will by no eclipse anything so far shown at this theatre in the way of animated pictures. The usual dramatic productions, together with a list of excellent comedy films interspersed with magnificently illustrated songs. All of the pictures presented here by Mr. Shepard come direct from his New York company which has been playing all season at the Fourteenth street theatre.

HUNTLEY COMPANY.

Charmion, the daring and graceful trapeze performer will be the special attraction with the Huntley Stock company all of the coming week at the Lowell Opera House. Other vaudeville features that will appear between the acts are Roattino and Stevens. Two handsome young ladies in a novelty singing and dancing act entitled "Scenes in a Wistaria Bower" and The Morvelli-us Brios, comedy acrobats.

The pretty pastoral play, Hazel Kirke, will be the Monday afternoon bill and in the evening the company will present one of their greatest successes, For Liberty and Love. It deals with the Cuban struggle for independence from Spain and depicts in a thorough manner all of the hatred, love and jealousies which were intermingled with patriotism during that period. Raymond Whittaker who was in the support of Blanche Walsh last season will appear in the leading role.

Among the other plays to be seen here during the talented company's engagement are: Capt. Swift, Roanoke, Knobs O'Tennessee, The New Dominion, Woman Against Woman, The Black Flag and Rip Van Winkle with Mr. Huntley in the title role.

A limited number of ladies' tickets will be issued for the Monday evening performance.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

One of the most amusing features in newspaper work is the struggle of the intelligent compositor to correct what he thinks are mistakes in "copy". An instance of this sometimes misdirected endeavor is found in the way the famous Karno London Comedy troupe, who come to Hathaway's theatre next week have had their title of "Mumming Birds" changed when the announcements appeared in the papers. It takes all kinds of watchful care to prevent the man behind the typesetting machine from designating them as "Humming Birds," and they have experienced this a number of times. The Karno troupe presents a burlesque on a vaudeville performance, under the title, "A Night in a London Music Hall," which is a veritable whirlwind of fun throughout the thirty minutes required to present it. When the curtain goes up, the stage is set in exact imitation of a music hall, with proscenium boxes, curtain and scenery. Ladies in evening dress, a father and his little boy, and an intoxicated society man enter, and take seats in the boxes. The first performer is a male singer, who sings a topical song, with verses on topics suggested by the audience. A very passee prima donna follows. Like the previous performer, she is not received with favor, as her voice is heart-rending, and as the bad little boy and the inebriated man object to her strenuously, she is forced to leave the stage. A juggler comes on, and induces the bad little boy to assist him in his act. The boy mixes up things badly by his mischievousness, with comical results. A wonderful wrestler, "The Terrible Turkey," is introduced, and makes a cash offer to anyone who can throw him. A young man from the orchestra volunteers but loses, and the drunken man tumbles into the ring. He has a ludicrous encounter with the wrestler, and gets the best of him. There is a rustic quartet, which is driven from the stage while trying to sing "Hall Smiling Morn." The only net favorably received is that of a singing soubrette, whose saucciness sends the little boy and inebriate into ecstacies. The fact that there are 14 people in the company gives an idea of the heavy expense involved in securing it for presentation in this city. The salary is double that ever paid for an act here, and large audiences at every performance will be required to meet the expense.

Godfrey and Henderson, two talented actors, present an act unequalled in its dainty and artistic comedy, entitled "A Daughter of the Gods." A young man who wanders into a friend's studio during the latter's absence, finds the room tenanted by a mummy case, the coffin of a long departed Egyptian princess. While he waits he smokes a pipe of hasheesh, an eastern drug, to see what it is like. Then he sees the princess emerge from the mummy case. After much deliciously funny conversation, he falls in love with her, but she is forced to part from him at the stroke of 12 and the young men dashes for the pipe again, in the hope that the effect will cause her to reappear. Gavin and Platt, famous all over the vaudeville circuit for their tuneful and artistic singing, will be enjoyed in their merry skit "A Stolen Kid." Their act is a gypsy episode, with appropriate setting and costumes, and they have a clever assistant in their smart bull terrier, Peaches, who assumes the part of a goat and plays it well. Gildea and Fox as an American and a Jew, give an entertaining comedy act, brilliant with song, dance and parody. John LeClair is well known as an adept in the art of juggling, and his work is an example of the wonderful proficiency which can be obtained in difficult juggling. Another individual on the bill who is bound to find favor with next week's audiences, is pert and pretty Josie Davis, most winsome of singing comedienne. Miss Davis has a pleasing voice, a catchy repertoire of the newest song hits, and in addition, an ingratiating personality which at once places her on good terms with her hearers. As an expert at tambourine spinning, V. P. Woodward stands in a class by himself, and the agreeable novelty of his offering is enhanced by the extraordinary skill which the displays. A new series of views will be shown by the ever popular vitagraph.

The ladies are again reminded that bargain matinees are given every afternoon when a reserved seat may be secured for the admission price of ten cents.

The usual popular charitable concerts will be given on Sunday afternoon and evening, when in addition to the interesting pictures a number of vocal ones will be given by members of the company.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

For the performances commencing with the last half of this week the Academy of Music has secured one of the finest attractions that have been presented at the Academy of Music this season. The management will be begin sale of seats at the theatre on Monday morning for the production of the Irish comedy entitled "Are You a Mason?" This is the production of Mr. Vaughan Glaser's company which made its first appearance only a few seasons ago with a company of first class players and has drawn big houses wherever it has been presented. This being its first presentation in stock. The play is a fanciful romantic comedy of the olden time, full of situations and situations. While a farce comedy and written simply to create laughter it has some of the horse play which has often proven to be hit and honor on the stage. The play is genuinely funny in itself without any outside applications to create mirth. The company has carefully rehearsed the play and the usual care has been given to its scenery and costuming.

The management has decided to discontinue the Sunday concerts during the season of Lent and hence there will be no concert tomorrow. These concerts have been given throughout the season for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society of St. Patrick's church which netted a large amount of money from them with which the members did a vast amount of good among the poor of St. Patrick's parish.

DOLAN DEPOSED

United Mine Workers Stand by Mitchell

INDIANAPOLIS Ind. March 17—The special national convention of the United Mine Workers of America yesterday afternoon indorsed the action of the executive board in sustaining the finding of President John Mitchell in ousting Patrick Dolan and Frank Bellingham from the presidency and vice presidency of District No. 5, Western Pennsylvania. As far as the national organization is concerned this is the end of Dolan's case.

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LOST—Sat. night in five and ten cent store, pocketbook. Finder please return to Sun Office and receive reward.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A 6-room cottage within 7 minutes walk to the new Mawhinney shop. 3200 feet of land. Sewer, city water, near electric cars. Pear, apple and cherry trees. 2 poultry houses. All square rooms. Large pantry. Price for immediate sale $1700. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—A Green cottage within 8 minutes walk from Westford street. 7 minutes walk to Northern depot. Gas, city water, sewer. Good lot of land. Cemented cellar. Fence all around house. Pleasant, sunny rooms. A big bargain. Price $1075. Small amount down. E. G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—A large house on Appleton st. Best of repair. Excellent investment. Good lot of land. Gas, city water, sewer. Rents for $25 monthly. If purchased before April 1st $2750 will buy it. See Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—A 6 room cottage in Pawtucketville. 5275 feet of land. Gas, city water, sewer. Near cars. A very good cottage for the money. Price $1050. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—An 8 room house near Mt. Vernon st. 5550 feet of land. Gas, city water, sewer, bath, furnace. 3 minutes walk to electric cars. Price is low at $2150. See Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—A 7 room cottage house near Ludlam street. Bath, gas, city water, sewer. 1500 feet of land. Corner lot. House in best of repair. Square rooms. Large closets. Price $1050. See Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE—A 2-tenement house near Fifth Ave., in Pawtucketville, 14 rooms, 2 bath rooms, gas, city water sewer. 3415 feet of land. A paying investment. Price $3300. See Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

LODGING HOUSE of 16 rooms, well furnished, all occupied, exceptionally fine bargain, will sell at a sacrifice. Owner leaving city. Address Lodging House, Sun Office.

FOR SALE—2 house lots, 3000 and 4000 feet in lot for half price. I am to leave city this spring. Good soil and sightly, Gardner ave. One minute to electrics, 10 minutes walk to city hall. Call 142 Riverside st.

FOR SALE or to let, 5 beach cottages, bath, gas, etc., at Salisbury. Levi L. H. Taylor, 9 Merrimack st., Haverhill, Mass.

FOR SALE—Nice corner lot of land near Textile school. Must be sold at once. Come and make me an offer. Address 529 Dutton st.

If you want help at home, or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SPECIAL NOTICES

FAT OR GAUNT [illegible] and you will [illegible] Wanted [illegible]

HIGH ALCOHOLS for stock jewelry. [illegible] quickly and [illegible] Leslie Bridge, R. [illegible] Lowell Mfg. Co.

CARPETS CLEANED 10 cents a [illegible] called for and delivered. Bath [illegible] Address Mrs. Fitz[illegible] Office.

COMMENCING [illegible] Middlesex st. [illegible] concerts and [illegible] dances, $10 per [illegible] good place, piano, all first class. [illegible] capacity on [illegible]

COMMODIOUS [illegible] for [illegible] Lowell, between Merrimack and Moody sts.

COMMENCING Monday, Feb. 5th, men and women can secure best board in Lowell at $1 weekly, by applying at 58 Kirk st.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS [illegible] the place, 24 Bridge st. Great bargains in millinery commencing Friday.

SOMETHING NEW EVERY WEEK [illegible] special for this week [illegible] in a lunch box. We have [illegible] Tea Store, 65 Merrimack st.

STATE HOUSING of all kinds promptly attended to. Smith Brothers, [illegible] Tel. 1595-3.

GRIFFIN CHAMBERY delivers fresh cream to all parts of the city. E. H. Lundberg, 46 Fay st.

MISS LUDWIN DUNSTER pianoforte teacher, 1 Jewett avenue.

ALBERT BEAN tinter, filler and tin metal roofer, chimneys repaired, estimates free. Inquire 11 Bradford st.

THE SUN IN BOSTON The Sun is on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

MISCELLANEOUS

THE GREEN BEAR Rheumatic Cure, cures all rheumatism. F. H. Butler, Middlesex st. druggist.

MME AURA, Lowell's leading palmist. Do not fail to consult her. It may mean much to you. 90 Bridge st. Tel. connection.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO.—Ladies thinking of buying a sewing machine come to see our fall location, light running rotary, it exceeds all other machines in the market. We have the shuttle also. Some second hand machines in stock. Come and see us, you are sure to be pleased. 90 Bridge st., close to the square.

CYPHER'S CHICK FEED, clean and no grit. Everything for the little chickies. Fountains and Feeders, 25c each. J. B. Cover & Co., Flanders st.

MRS. FLETCHER, 763 Gorham st., trance medium and card reader.

IF YOU DON'T enjoy thoroughly call on F. H. Butler, the Middlesex st. druggist.

DELORME THE HATTER at 24 Middlesex st. has the latest spring blocks for derbys. If he makes your hat he will keep it clean for one year.

BARGAINS in new or second hand furniture, also all kinds of repairing done at P. J. Curtis's bargain store, Central st., opp. Union st.

CHIMNEYS built and repaired with Portland Cement Mortar. Chimneys swept out with steel brushes at short notice. Tel. 1597-3. Smith Brothers, 601 School st.

ST. THOMAS SALVE is the most wonderful cure for Piles ever offered for sale, and can only be purchased at Maguire Brothers' Grocery store, corner of Salem and Common sts. No cure, no pay. 25c a box.

LIMBURG chimney expert, chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 123 Bridge st. Telephone.

MRS. C. ADAMS—Clairvoyant and card reader and ladies' parlor, employment office at 342 Central st.

CHIROPODIST—C. M. Saunders, 90 Prescott st. Open Mon., Tues. and Sat. evenings.

REAL ESTATE MEN, PROPERTY OWNERS, ETC.—Will paper your room, furnishing paper and border to match the same including the hanging for $2.00; special prices given for work consisting of more than one room; estimates furnished on inside and outside painting, whitewashing etc. first-class work guaranteed. Baker (The New Hackett), 301 Middlesex st.

PILES, HEMORRHOIDS—Rectal trouble sufferers, I am no free sample deposit or C. O. D. fakir. I was positively cured years standing. Have cured hundreds severe cases by the formula of a specialist of highest standing. Formula—Advice, 50 cents. Treatment inexpensive. M. Adams, 770A Pearl st., Somerville, Mass.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and feather scaling; prevents falling hair, harmless, 25c only at Falls & Buckingham's, 408 Middlesex st.

LADIES—Dr. LaFrance's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination used by 50,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFrance & Co., Philadelphia, Penn.

GENERAL REPAIRING, tenements especially, 1 Charles court, off Charles st. Two flights up.

EXCHANGE FOR LOWELL PROPERTY—Two country stores with tenement overhead, stable and land. Also a blacksmith shop with six-room cottage, stable, hen house and three acres land. I also want a vacant store with tenement overhead in Lowell, in exchange for a new two-tenement house with all modern improvements. John T. Gagnon, Salem Depot, N. H.

SITUATIONS WANTED

CHAUFFEUR wants position with private parties; has thorough knowledge of gasoline motor cars and best of references. Address J. R. M., Box 52, Sterling Junction, Mass.

MAN WANTS general farm work or as teamster. Chef wants position, wages $10. 104 Central st.

WOMAN WANTS kitchen work or cleaning. Girl wants any light work. 104 Central st.

WANTED—By a young girl H. to assist in housework or mind children. Inquire at 22 John st. ave.

SITUATION WANTED at housekeeper or as nurse by experienced (German) girl. Apply at 201 West Manchester st.

WANTED—Housework in boarding or small family by respectable middle aged woman. Inquire 15 Mill st.

GORDON'S is headquarters for stores, farms, city and New England property of every description. If you want to buy, sell, or let property you are sure of perfect satisfaction when you trade at **GORDON'S, 219 Central Street.**

TO LET

TO LET A tenement of five rooms, [illegible] hot and cold water at 21 [illegible] Apply [illegible]

TO LET Good pay boarding and lodgers [illegible] Apply 4 Lawrence st.

TO LET Elegant house in the Hills [illegible] hot and cold water, bath, [illegible] gas. Hence wired for electric [illegible] furnace heat; also stable [illegible] and large carriage house [illegible] gas and electric lights, [illegible] floors. Rent low. Apply [illegible]

TO LET [illegible] stable and large carriage stable [illegible] Rent low. Apply [illegible]

TO LET Lodging [illegible] in Central st. 22 Rooms [illegible] hot and cold water and tubs, bath, gas. Will let low if rented for at once. Apply 4 Central st.

TO LET In [illegible] house of 3 room, hot and cold water, bath, gas, suitable for a [illegible] in a good location, will rent whole or part, also furnace heat. Rent low. Apply 43 Central st.

TO LET House of nine rooms. Apply 47 Andover st.

TO LET Flat of seven rooms on Pageant st. All modern improvements. Apply at 420 Rogers st.

TENEMENTS in all parts of the city and at all prices. We take pride in our system of making repairs. The best in the city. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET Dining room and kitchen partly furnished. Will take board in exchange for rent. Inquire at 251 Central st.

TWO TENEMENTS to let, No. 127 and 129 Lafayette st. Six rooms each, at $8 per month. Inquire at 133 East Merrimack st.

ROOM TO LET in the Harrington building, 52 Central st. Inquire at The Sun office.

ROOMS TO LET Front room and rooms for light housekeeping. 257 Central st., Lowell, Mass.

TO LET Good store, 251 Central st. Vacant April 1; also tenements. Inquire S. N. Proctor, rear 345 Central st.

TO LET Strouth house all modern improvements, 5 minutes walk Shaw Machine shop. Inquire 111 Merrimack st.

TO LET Floor space at the Thorndike Mfg. Co. Apply to Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

TO LET—Small tenement partly furnished for light housekeeping, rent $2 a week. Inquire 15 Charles st. A. H. Lawrence.

FURNISHED ROOM to let, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply 608 Stackpole st.

FOR SALE or to let, house, barn and henhouse with 4 acres of land, also 1 horse, 1 heifer, 15 pullets and 1 cockerel. Henry Lacombe, Chelmsford st., first house past the city line.

TENEMENT of three pleasant rooms near the armory, $7 per month. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET—5 room upstairs flat, bath, hot water, shed for wood and coal, separate cellar, 64 Chapel st. Inquire 153 Central st.

TO LET Tenements of 4 and 5 rooms at 89 Adams street. Inquire 52 Varney street.

TO LET—Modern house in the Highlands of eight rooms with all the latest improvements and cement cellar. Rent low. Inquire 376 Fairmount st.

TO LET—House of ten rooms with stable, all in fine condition. O. R. Park, 179 Vernon ave. Tel. 1612-5.

TO LET—A tenement of five rooms and attic, with bath and improvements at 74 Chambers st. Rent reasonable. Apply on premises or 23 North st.

TO LET—Well heated and furnished front room, every convenience and best locality. 151 Andover st.

TO LET At 64 Tyler st. house of 11 rooms, steam heat and bath, hot and cold water, newly plumbed and repaired. Apply to George H. Walker, 216 Central or 628 Wilder st.

BARN TO LET—Rear of 54 Tyler st., 2 stalls, one box stall, large carriage room. Apply to George H. Walker, 216 Central or 628 Wilder st.

ROOM—Desirable, sunny front room to let, with first class board. 243 Westford st., Mrs. Saunders.

TENEMENT TO LET—Formerly occupied by Dr. Bates, dentist. Apply at corner of Middlesex and Elliot sts.

NOTICE Boarding house under new management located 731 Lawrence st., cor. South Whipple st., large airy rooms furnace heat, gas and bath. Rooms with or without board.

FACTORY WITH 12,000 square feet floor space for rent, situated half way between Buffalo and Niagara Falls, in the heart of the Niagara Falls electric power development, rail connections, near freight and express offices, also natural gas. Apply James Sweeney Jr., Agent Sweeney property, North Tonawanda, New York.

SINGLE HOUSE—9 rooms and bath, pleasantly situated, 170 Riverside st. near Textile school. Inquire 321 Market st.

ROOM WITH POWER to let in card building. Shattuck st. Wm. E. Badger, Locks and Canals office.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY LOANED to salaried ladies or gentlemen without security, publicity or embarrassment. Central Loan Co., 61 Central st. Rooms 4 and 5.

JEWELRY ON CREDIT—Watches and diamonds sold on weekly payments, lowest prices. Boston Supply Co., 22 Hildreth building.

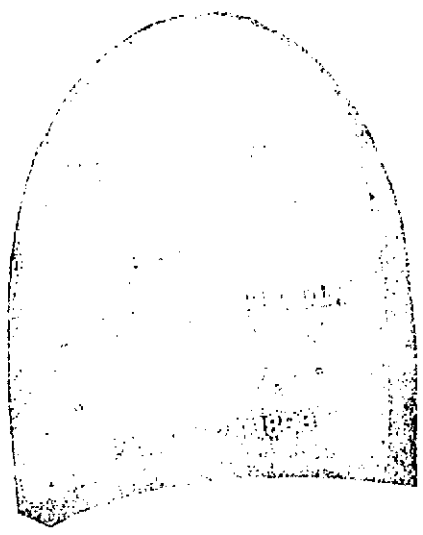
MONEY TO LOAN—Any employe holding a permanent position, may get money without security or publicity at the lowest rates in the city. Offices in Lowell and Lawrence, Massachusetts Loan Co., Room 22, Hildreth Building, 45 Merrimack st.

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to permanent salaried people on easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city (confidential) no publicity, no delay, special inducements for quick payments. Private office. Offices in Lowell and Lawrence. U. S. Loan Co., 50 Prescott st.

$5, $10, $15—Emergency loans for "tight" places quickly secured at the best place in Lowell. T. H. Kelley's, 302 Middlesex st.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security salaried people and others. Best terms, liberal discount, commission paid. Merrimack

THE STORY OF THE HEEL OF NEW RUBBER



Way back in the seventies, when I first entered the Shoe Business, some of my customers, notably Physicians and the local Manufacturing Agents, at the beginning of each winter, had our store equip their winter shoes with rubber soles and rubber heels. The soles were cut from what was then and now known as rubber soling, the heels were cut from rubber belting. In order to get these heels, one had to buy a piece of rubber as long as the two heels and as wide as one heel. This rubber was bought by the weight, and of necessity, in attaching this rubber, the corners had to go to waste. This rubber attached used to cost the customer alone 75c. They were attached by cement and three screws, one at the corner of each breast and one at the back of heel. Of necessity, the screws took away from whatever resiliency the rubber had. This thing had gone along for years, and it occurred to me that there was a whole lot of waste of rubber, and all the resiliency was lost, and therefore undertook to mould a rubber heel that would fit the leather heel exactly, have no waste and countersunk the attaching nails, so that when the heels were

attached, and all the time they were being worn, the attaching nail did not retard the resiliency, inasmuch as it was sunk as close as it would hold to the lower surface of the rubber heel.

In order to carry out our idea of what the people wanted, we adopted the standard of New Rubber to cushion the heel of the customer and reduced the price to 50c.

In the course of time, the people began to appreciate these heels because they were elastic, easy to walk on, they saved strength, saved the nerves, and they wore longer than leather heels. We then made them for ladies, always maintaining the same high standard of rubber that we started out with and believed the public required. The fame of these heels soon spread to Boston. The firm of Thayer McNeil was the first Boston firm to recognize their value, and from there their fame spread all over New England and the west, to the Coast, to England, to Australia and New Zealand, to China and Japan, South America, South Africa, and to our neighbors up in Canada.

Then, a man with a substitute came along, but he did not make the heel of New Rubber. He thought all he had to do was to make something in the shape of a heel and that he could sell it for a lower price, and the public would never know, but alas for the man with the substitute—after a while, the public found out that his heel did not wear and the man with the substitute fell by the wayside. He had followers and a dozen of them came along—they are in the market still, but they are gradually fading and dropping out of sight before the pioneer heel of New Rubber that is backed by the greatest publicity of the magazine, newspaper and street car variety that has ever been applied to any one single article.

Why do the O'Sullivan's spend so much money in advertising their heels if they, with their thirty odd years of successful business life, spend a hundred thousand dollars a year in advertising their rubber heels, would they do it if they had not an article that they knew and felt had merit in it, and were convinced that the people wanted it.

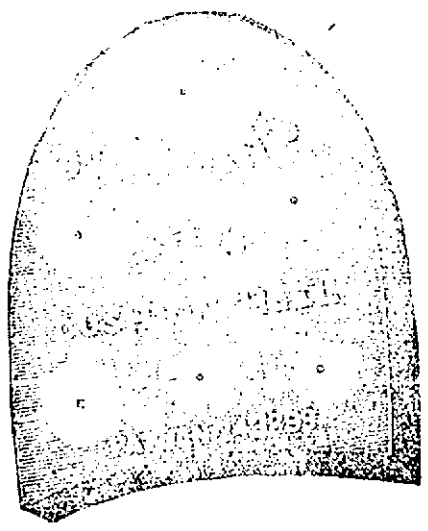
The rubber heel business created a new industry, they are glad to have followers, it is a compliment to their courage, but let the concern that attempts to follow them in the rubber heel business, be prepared to procure a barrel of good United States currency, or they will be very apt to lose what they put in. The rubber heel business is a vast industry and no small concern has any license to enter it, because it involves vast publicity and business experience that is only possessed by those who participate in the business from the beginning.

Recently, on a visit to New York, the representative of the O'Sullivan Rubber Company called on Messrs. Creamer & Goodman, of the firm of Morse & Rogers, and Mr. Goodman told the O'Sullivan representative that within a few days, a Rubber Heel Manufacturer had been in to sell him some of his substitute heels. He detailed to him all the good qualities of the heel that he had to offer, how much cheaper it was than O'Sullivan's, that it was equally as good, that he could make some profit on it—all of which Mr. Goodman agreed to. Then the substitute man asked him "how many heels he wanted to order?" Mr. Goodman replied; "If you will go out and spend seventy-five or one hundred thousand dollars in advertising your heels, the same as the O'Sullivan Rubber Co. does, you can come to me and I will give you an order." Said the substitute man, "If I had that amount of money, I would not be selling rubber heels," and that is how the matter stands today, every good article will be substituted and as the old story goes, substitution is the veriest kind of flattery.

If any genius can make and present to the O'Sullivan Rubber Co. a rubber heel that has got more merit than theirs, he is liable to receive as much as ten thousand dollars for his invention.

In 1898, the O'Sullivan Rubber business was incorporated under the name of the O'Sullivan Rubber Company, with J. Munn Andrews as business manager. The stock of the company has never been offered for sale to any one, and is not liable to be. Under the management of Mr. Andrews the business has assumed large proportions.

PRIZES AWARDED



Copy of Announcement of Prize Contest for Advertisements in the Christmas issue of the San Francisco News Letter.

PRIZES FOR ADVERTISERS

With a view of emphasizing the [illegible] pages of the Christmas [illegible] of the S. F. News Letter and [illegible] containing our advertisers to supply [illegible] and attractive copy, [illegible] prizes, aggregating [illegible] for advertising space in the S. F. News Letter during 1906, will be awarded to the four most attractive advertisements printed back.

The copy may be full page, half page or quarter page and will be judged by [illegible]

PRIZES.

1st Prize—Quarter page one [illegible] week, 1 year $525.00

2d Prize—Quarter page three times a month, 1 year $420.00

3d Prize—Quarter page every other week, 1 year $315.00

4th Prize—Quarter page once a month 1 year $105.00

COMMITTEE ON PRIZES

Publishers of "Printers' Ink," New York.

Publishers of "Ad Sense," Chicago.

Publishers of "Profitable Advertising," Boston.

Advertising rates same as Xmas News Letter of 1904

Full page	$120.00
Half page	70.00
Quarter page	35.00

Type size of page ..... 7x10½ inches

Edition ..... 65,000 copies

The Christmas S. F. News Letter will be acknowledged the most artistic and attractive publication issued on the Pacific coast.

The 1905 issue will surpass all our previous efforts.

It will be printed in colors throughout on heavy coated paper, and profusely illustrated, enclosed in beautifully illustrated covers, with articles, stories and poems by the best writers on the Pacific coast.

The large edition and the fact that every feature insures the number being read with interest from beginning to end, will make this issue the best advertising medium of the season.

Besides with a little advertising ingenuity, you may have an attractive advertisement for 1906 without cost.

F. MARRIOTT,
Pub. S. F. News Letter,
220 Sansome St., San Francisco.

San Francisco News Letter,
San Francisco, Cal.
February 8, 1906.

Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan,
O'Sullivan Rubber Co.,
Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—I am pleased to congratulate you on the fact that your advertisement for O'Sullivan's Heels in the Christmas number of the S. F. News Letter is awarded the first prize on being the most attractive advertisement in that issue.

The delay in the decision was partly caused by the lack of promptness in attending to the matter by those who were requested to give their opinion, and from the fact that no two agreed as to which advertisements should receive the prizes. We therefore submitted the eight advertisements which were selected as most attractive to the Cooper Advertising Agency of this city, and the advertisement for O'Sullivan's Heels was selected as being the best.

I shall feel obliged if you will furnish me with copy for this advertisement to occupy ¼ page for one year. To be inserted in the News Letter. The space is 3¾ inches wide by 5 inches deep.

With best wishes.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) F. MARRIOTT.

Appleton's Booklovers Magazine
Advertising Department.
D. Appleton & Co., Publishers,
436 Fifth Ave., New York.
London Office: 25 Bedford St. (Covent Garden).
Cable Address, Hilandero.
November 18, 1905.

Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan,
O'Sullivan Rubber Co.,
Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—It may interest you to learn that the half-page advertisement of O'Sullivan's Heels, appearing in our November issue, carried off the first prize in our Advertising Prize Contest. By this I mean they received a larger number of votes than any other half-page advertiser. Pearline ran them a close second. I hope to send you these votes as soon as the Advertising Committee have gone over them and selected what, in their opinion, are the best reasons given. Announcement will appear in our January issue.

Yours very truly,
DAVID D. LEE,
Ass't Advertising Mgr.

O'SULLIVAN RUBBER CO.

LOWELL, MASS.

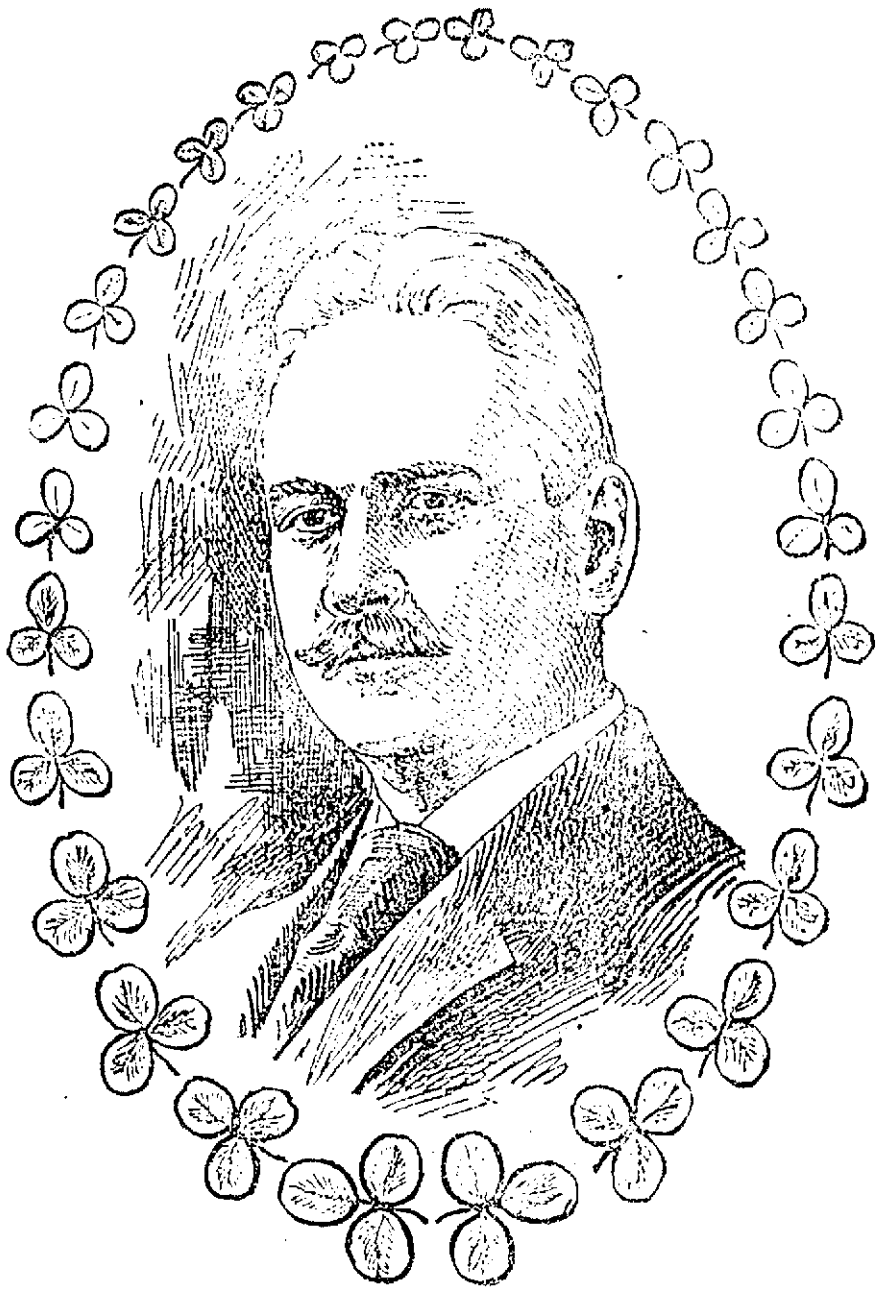
THE WEATHER
Fair today and Sunday, slightly warmer; Monday, fair, slight change in temperature; light westerly winds

THE LOWELL SUN

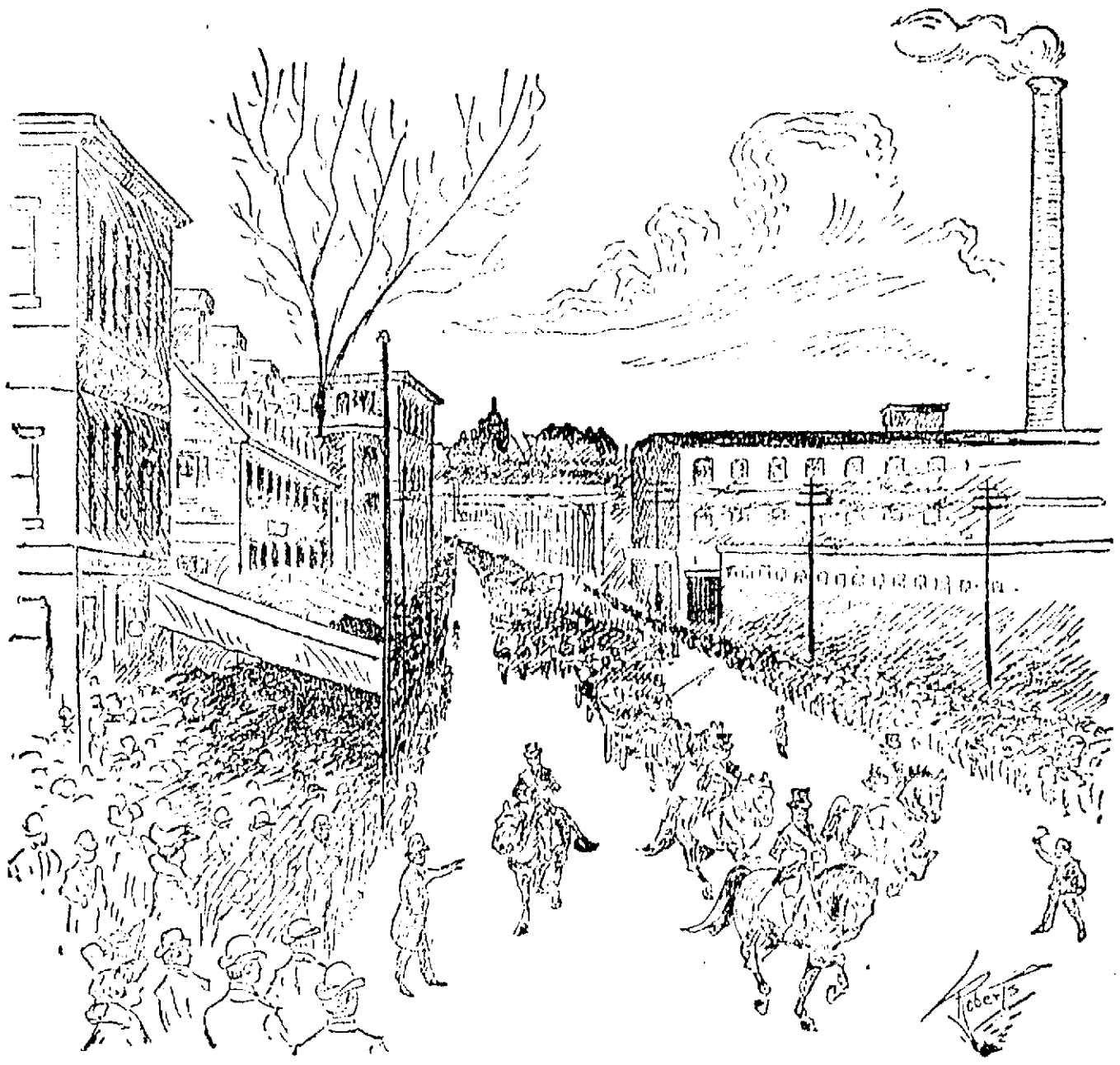
6 O'CLOCK

ESTABLISHED 1878 | LOWELL, MASS., SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1906 | 12 PAGES ONE CENT

ST. PATRICK'S DAY



HUMPHREY O'SULLIVAN, CHIEF MARSHAL.



VIEW OF PARADE ENTERING MERRIMACK SQUARE.

Celebrated in Grand Style

This is Ireland's day, the feast of her patron saint, so dear to the Irish heart. It is a day on which the sons and daughters of the Emerald Isle in every land manage in some way to celebrate the glories of Ireland's past; but the present celebration is largely inspired with the radiant and hopeful outlook of Ireland's future.

Never in this city and seldom anywhere else, has the celebration of St Patrick's day been projected on such a grand and liberal scale as that on which Chief Marshal O'Sullivan has ordered and financed the parade and all the suplementary features of today's observance. The appearance in the parade of clergymen and organizations of other nationalities is a unique feature scarcely known in any previous celebration of the day. It is a gratifying omen of the harmony and good feeling existing among the different denominations and nationalities and for giving this spirit of tolerance and fraternity a distinct and emphatic impetus in this celebration, Chief Marshal O'Sullivan deserves the gratitude of all classes.

For weeks past the great anxiety of those interested in the parade was as to the weather, and although fair weather had been predicted it is safe to say that every intending parader got out of bed at dawn and pulling aside his curtains to view the skies unconsciously exclaimed, "Hail Glorious Morn." It was indeed a glorious morn, not the sign of a cloud or flock on the clear sky while the crimson sunrise gave promise of an ideal day. Upon this subject alone there was general rejoicing for stormy or unfavorable weather would greatly jeop the success of the celebration. It seemed as if everything favored the plans of the chief marshal.

The great interest in the celebration was evinced by the elaborate decorations along the route and by some novel features that came in the nature of a surprise to the paraders. One of these was provided by the Knights of Columbus from whose quarters in the Associate building was sent out over the paraders a perfect shower of green confetti. There were many other features novel and orginal, all of which will be noted on the description of the decorations.

As the morning advanced bodies of uniformed men were marching hither and thither while the sound of martial music and stirring Irish airs was borne upon the gale. As the hour of noon drew near the streets were filled with people and marching companies were seen everywhere in their showy green regalia, carrying the green flag of Erin side by side with the stars and stripes.

It seemed as if but few were working in the factories, so vast the throngs along the sidewalks, even before noon, all waiting for the first look at the local and visiting societies marching to the scene of formation of the parade. Nearly everybody along the streets seemed to don a piece of green just out of respect for the day and those engaged in its celebration; but while enthusiasm ran high the best of order was maintained at all points and the police officers on duty along the route had little trouble in handling the good natured multitude.

OVATION TO CHIEF MARSHAL.

In the surging throng it seemed that everybody wanted to see the chief marshal, and when some gayly caparisoned charger came prancing along, the word went along—"There he is," and then the crowd looked in the direction indicated only to be disappointed again and again. At last, however, their patience was rewarded when Chief Marshal O'Sullivan mounted on a milk white steed rode to the North common and held a conference with his chief of staff, Fred H. Rourke, who was mounted on a fine gray charger. Chief Marshal O'Sullivan never looked better than when riding among his staff getting the various companies and divisions into line. At first his steed seemed inclined to be frisky and to prance, after the style of the cavalry horses eager for the fray; but he soon was curbed in and became obedient to the will of the rider. Cheer after cheer went up for the chief marshal and women waved their handkerchiefs as he passed bowing his acknowledgments. It was a great ovation.

Most of the visiting companies reached the Middlesex street station about 11.30 and were formally reached by Chief of Staff Rourke or some official or delegation appointed by him for that purpose. The military companies that had the time to spare went to the armory but the Hibernian lodges from Manchester, Nashua and other places who arrived in time went to the halls assigned them after the parade, where they spent the interval awaiting the start of the parade.

All the streets circling the North common soon were filled with mounted men and marching companies moving to their respective positions in the line. It recalled the mustering of the Clans before some great battle such as Clontarf when Brian Boru drove the Danes into the sea, but Chief Marshal O'Sullivan was the Brian of today in a grand military and civic pageant whose aim is peace and good will.

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BENEFIT DANCE.

A benefit dance was held in new Mathews hall in Dutton street last night by the members of the Street Railway association. Over 1500 tickets were sold, and a neat sum realized. The proceeds of the dance will go to the widow of a former member of the association, who recently died in New York city.

Hibbard's orchestra furnished the music. Arthur Curren was general manager and his assistants were: Assistant General Manager Thomas F. Lonergan, Floor Director Francis Fanning, Assistant John O'Loughlin; aids, Wilfred White, George Fellows, Chas. Gregg, Melvin Sweet, Aaron Fadden, Frank Hartson, Charles Atwood, Rollo Lewis, Charles Woodhead, Timothy McCarthy, George Brown, Philip Harley, Edward Welch, Timothy Mack, John Welch, James Quinan, William Johnson, Edward Erickson and Thomas Cunningham.

IRISH LEAGUE FLOAT.

The float put out by the United Irish League typifies an idea that touches the heart of every Irishman who loves Liberty, and where is there one who doesn't? Robert Emmett is the ideal patriot hero of Ireland and in his last speech when sentenced to death as a rebel he appealed to posterity for the charity of its silence, saying, "Let no man write my epitaph for as no man who knows my motives dare now vindicate them, let not prejudice or ignorance asperse them. Let them and me rest in obscurity and peace and my tomb remain undisturbed and my memory in oblivion until other times and other men can do justice to my character. When my country takes her place among the nations of the earth then, and not till then, let my epitaph be written."

Ireland has faithfully complied with the request of Robert Emmett to leave his epitaph unwritten until freedom dawns upon her shores. The idea embodied in the Irish league float typifies this faithfulness of Ireland to her martyred son and also to the cause of freedom. The hopeful outlook for the Irish cause at the present time has suggested the idea of the Irish float. It represents the Goddess of Liberty, proclaiming "Let the epitaph of Emmett be written" while the crowned queen of Erin stands hard by, in hand inscribing on a tombstone over a moss-covered grave the epitaph of Robert Emmett. Miss Maria Sullivan impersonates the Goddess of Liberty and Miss Nellie Lunny the queen of Erin. In the rear are two Irish bards in the ancient costume waking in pains of joy the harp, the national instrument that for ages has been attuned to the mournful lays of the nation's woe. In front is a large sunburst emblematic of the dawn of Irish freedom, the idea typified in the writing of Emmett's epitaph.

CELEBRATION NOTES.

The early trains this morning brought visitors to Lowell and as the morning advanced the crowds grew. The electric cars from Boston, Lawrence and Nashua brought crowds on each trip.

The fakirs with all kind of "green goods" in the souvenir line were the early birds among the visitors for they got here bright and early and started to do a land office business without loss of time. Everyone wore green after the fakirs got down to business.

The local decorators couldn't fill all their orders and hence there were many places not decorated that would have been if it were possible.

Police Inspector Martin Maher was the proud possessor of a fine bunch of shamrock received from a friend in the "Ould Dart," yesterday.

Thomas J. Goyette, the well known painter, closed his shop at noon to permit his help to celebrate. In his window hung a large card framed with green ribbon and painted shamrocks, inscribed as follows: "Who partakes in another's joy is a more human character than he who partakes in his griefs.—Lavater."

Thomas J. Enright, president of the Bohemian club, appeared out today after being confined to his home for a week with a severe cold. Mr. Enright could not remain in on St. Patrick's day, especially when the Bohemian club is holding its annual banquet tonight.

Fred O. Coburn, manager of the C. H. Coburn Co., in Market street, in order to give the employes an opportunity to witness the parade, closed the store for one hour this afternoon, a favor that was greatly appreciated by the employes.

One of the finest appearing horses in line was ridden by John Rourke an aid to the chief marshal. It is a dapple gray owned by Patrick Cogger. The martingale worn by the horse was of green and white and large rosettes were worn on each side of the head.

"Open house" was in order at the rooms of the Mathew Temperance Institute in the Mansur block and the members and friends were in attendance all afternoon. Not a few witnessed the parade from the windows of the quarters and all were generous in their applause with shingles and other noise making devices.

FOR IMMIGRANTS.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 17.—The labor information office for Italians of New York city, formed to aid Italian immigrants seeking employment, was incorporated yesterday. One of the objects stated is that it shall not "take part in the breaking of a strike or the promotion of a strike."

A still alarm at 1.15 o'clock last night summoned a portion of the fire department to a slight blaze in a house at 10 Race street owned by G. W. Harris. A broken lamp caused kerosene to leak and became ignited. There was no damage.

As smooth as velvet and as rich as cream

DOWD'S HONEST 10 CIGAR

A Business Necessity

A Bank Account is the most necessary factor in your business.

You use wise judgment in the selection of The Traders National Bank as the depository for your funds.

Here your money is absolutely secure and your financial interests safeguarded.

Your account is invited.

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F. D. Munn & Son, G. G. Read, Russell & Boynton, Hamlett Grocery Co., J. H. Richardson & Sons, R. W. Locke.

Send your nerves to the moon!

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

6 O'CLOCK

DUAL CELEBATION

Two Big Parades Were Held in Boston

BOSTON, March 17.—A program of unusual elaborateness has been arranged for the celebration today in South Boston, of the anniversary of the evacuation of Boston by the British troops. The bay section of the city was very largely decorated with flags and bunting when the booming of guns on the warships outside the navy yard and from the forts in the harbor and the ringing of bells inaugurated the opening of the days' exercises. During the forenoon two vents had been arranged. Literary exercises were held in South Boston High school, when an oration was delivered by former Attorney General Herbert Parker. Shortly afterwards Mayor John F. Fitzgerald entertained at breakfast the city's official evacuation day guests and a large number of prominent citizens. These guests included Lieut. Gen. John C. Bates, U. S. A., Congressman William A. McNary and John A. Kelliher, Rear Admiral A. S. Snow, commandant of the Charlestown navy yard, Governor Guild, Lieut. Gov. Draper, President William F. Lasa of the senate, Speaker John N. Cole of the house and the commanders of the various warships in the harbor, which included the Rhode Island, the Des Moines, the Wabash and the Cleveland.

For the afternoon the feature was a military parade of which Captain George Proctor was chief marshal. It consisted of coast artillery, marines and sailors from the warships, the Ninth regiment of the Massachusetts volunteer militia, the Massachusetts naval brigade, Grand Army and Spanish war veterans and other organizations. In connection with the review by the governor and mayor of this procession, public interest directed also to a parade of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in observance of St. Patrick's day. This procession, it was planned, would pass over practically the same route as the military before to be reviewed also by the governor and mayor.

The day's exercises will be brought to a close with a banquet by the South Boston citizens' association and illumination of the Dorchester Heights monument and a display of fireworks.

FIREMEN KILLED

Three Buried Under Falling Roof

CAMDEN, N. J., March 17.—Three firemen were killed and nine others seriously injured last night at a fire which destroyed the 6th Sixth regiment armory at Sibley and West streets, in this city. The dead are:

GEORGE W. SHIELDS.
WILLIAM HILLMAN.
WILLIAM JONES.

The fire started in the boiler room of the armory building and quickly spread to all parts of the structure. About a dozen firemen were ordered into the burning building with a line of hose and were making good progress in fighting the flames when they were warned that the roof was giving way. But before they could escape the great expanse of roof fell, burying them all under it. Shields, Hillman and Jones were crushed to death, but the others managed to follow the line of hose and escaped after most of them had been seriously lacerated and bruised. The injured were removed to the Cooper hospital.

A general alarm was sounded and after a great effort the flames were confined to the armory which was entirely destroyed.

The building had been abandoned years ago by the Sixth regiment and had since been occupied by various firms. The total loss is estimated at between $50,000 and $75,000.

YELLOW FEVER

Case Discovered at New Orleans

NEW YORK, March 17. A special to the Tribune from New Orleans says:

Health officers of Mississippi and Alabama are in this city to investigate a supposed case of yellow fever on which local physicians have come to no agreement.

Dr. C. H. Iron, president of the state board of health, yesterday furnished the press with the following statement:

The case of Jules Eberny was reported to this office as suspicious Monday afternoon, March 12, for the charity hospital. Drs. Demere Martin and J. M. Batchelor diagnosed the case as catarrhal jaundice. Dr. Hamilton Jones, after three days' observation of the case reports it as yellow fever."

Dr. Iron added that the health office of Mississippi, Alabama and Texas had been notified of the case which had been treated as a suspicious case from the beginning.

SERIOUSLY ILL

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S UNCLE WAS STRICKEN.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Robert B. Roosevelt, uncle of the president, is ill at his home here. It was said that Mr. Roosevelt was seized yesterday with some rheumatic complaint in the legs, exact nature of which physicians did not immediately determine. His doctors say that the outcome of his illness is uncertain as Mr. Roosevelt is 76 years old and has not much strength.

Mr. Roosevelt was admitted to the bar in 1851, but retired from practice 20 years later. He was a member of congress during 1875-5 and United States minister to The Netherlands in 1888-9. He is the author of several works on fish and game.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, March 17.—Futures opened steady. March 10.39 bid, April 10.40 bid, May 10.58, June 10.62, July 10.68, Aug. 10.64, Sept. 10.28 bid, Oct. 10.22, Nov. —, Dec. 10.24, Jan. 10.25.

SYRUP OF PINE AND TAR
25c Bottle
Will cure that Cough.
CARTER & SHERBURNE'S
Drug Store
In the Waiting Room.

SOME BIG PURSES

Offered for the Salem Race Track

NEW YORK, March 17.—Speaking upon the authority of Andrew Miller, president of the New England Breeders' club, Mr. Enlangher, one of the officials of the club, said yesterday that the supreme court's decision affecting public betting on the Salem race course would make no difference whatever in the plans of the association, as such a decision had been expected. The daily race card will call for stakes and overnight events, which will average $2,000 a day for the 21 days of the spring meeting.

Entries to the stakes closed at midnight of Thursday. Up to 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon entries had been received from Messrs. Randolph, Oxnard, Forbes, McClintic, Murphy, Burlew, Smithson, Dyment, Doepfler, Walden, Mrs. Bradley, Miller, Meehan, McLaughlin, McManus, Carson, Hendrie, Killechan, Garth, Stockton, Weir, Cavanagh, Davidson, Lodillard, Macomber, Farrell, Jennings, Fuchingham, Pilser, Whelan, Peabody, Cusick stable, Nally, Newhall, Chamberlain, Johnson, Richards, Mr. Cheland, Wilson, Jr., Kincaid, Drake, Baker, Lagerroth, Miller, Welch, Henning, Johnson, Willmer and Clyde.

Fort Wells, Roseben, Oxford, Lotus Inter, Dolly, Spanker, Merry Lark, Jacquin, Santa Catalina, Lathing, Kinleydale and other good horses are entered.

STILL ASHORE

STEAMER CEARNSE IS FAST AGROUND.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 17.—The Booth line steamer Cearense which went ashore near Seaside Park, N. J., early yesterday, was still hard and fast aground today. It was reported by the wrecking crews, who are standing close by, however, that she was lying in an easy position and that the prospects of eventually floating her were good. The steamer is lying broadside on the beach. She has no water in her hold. Three heavy tides have been run to the Cearense from a wrecking tug and attempts to float her will be made at the most favorable time.

CAPT. SHAMANSKY

HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO A COURT MARTIAL.

MOSCOW, March 17.—Captain Shamansky, who refused to order his company to fire on the people during the riots here last autumn has been sentenced to a court martial to be dismissed from the service, and to be confined for 18 months in a fortress.

MARRIED IN LONDON.

LONDON, March 17.—Pay Director Joseph Foster, U. S. N., retired, was married here today, at St. George's church, Hanover square, to Miss Josephine Hunt, a school mistress of Gravesend, Kent. The marriage is a sequel to a romantic courtship. Pay Director Foster, while paymaster of an American warship off Gravesend 10 years ago, met Miss Hunt and some years later the paymaster then a widower, came across Miss Hunt's card among his papers and started a correspondence with her which culminated in today's ceremony.

Pay Director Foster was born at Gloucester, Mass., June 17, 1841. In 1861 he was commissioned as pay director and subsequently retired. His home is at Portsmouth, N. H.

108 YEARS OLD.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., March 17.—Mrs. May MacKittrick, believed to be the oldest person in western Pennsylvania today celebrated her 108th birthday.

EASTERN LEAGUE MEETING.

TORONTO, Ont., March 17.—President Harry L. Taylor, C. T. Chapman of Rochester and Manager Burnham of Newark, arrived here last night to attend today's meeting of the Eastern baseball league and others arrived today. The meeting will open at 1 o'clock in the King Edward Hotel.

Playing rules and an official ball will be considered in addition to the schedule. Several firms have made bids for the privilege of supplying balls.

PREMIER WITTE

Wants to Protect the Jewish People

ST PETERSBURG, March 17.—There is already evidence that only a check and not a defeat has been administered to the reactionists who are conducting the anti-Semitic agitation. Premier Witte, after he had forced a decision of the cabinet to suppress the agitation, knowing the audacity of his opponents took the precaution to privately ask the Jewish leaders to notify him instantly whenever the Jewish inhabitants of any locality were threatened in order to place him in a position to insist that measures be taken to protect them. The Jewish leaders, however, now charge that the reactionary clique with the connivance of sympathetic local governor generals, are boldly arranging to block such warnings. The leaders claim to have proof that orders have been given in several places, specifically citing Vitebsk, western Russia, not to transmit messages to the premier warning him of the imminence of trouble. It is further charged, but proof is lacking, that this was done with the knowledge of Interior Minister Durnovo.

It has been established that Count Felgorichande, chief of the gendarme of Gomel, West Russia, who armed a mob there, while ostentatiously dismissed by M. Durnovo in reality was only transferred to a better post at Yalta, Crimea.

In spite of the official denial of the shooting of undesirable refugees sent back to Russia from England, private information has been obtained tending to partially support the charge. Many of the refugees were sent to Baltic ports where the authorities are showing no mercy to revolutionists in spite of the emperor's instructions to display great leniency. When the refugees disembarked, having fled from Russia without vised passports they were regarded as suspects and some of them were given a short shift.

A. G. POLLARD

WILL BE LEADING FIGURE AT MASONS' CELEBRATION.

BOSTON, March 17. One of the most notable celebrations in the history of Free Masonry, to be participated in by hundreds of delegates from all over the United States, will be the double convocation, the ninth triennial assembly, of the General Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of the United States, and the 33d triennial of the General Grand Royal Arch Chapter of the United States, scheduled to be held in Boston during the week beginning June 18, plans of which were made public yesterday.

The General Grand Chapter of the United States was established in Boston on October 24, 1797, and the celebration in June will have many memorable conventions to eclipse.

Not since 1850 has this city been selected for such an occasion, and Masonic Temple, in which most of the exercises are to be held, will be the scene of brilliant and imposing ceremonies.

Although the date of the assembly is yet three months away, local Masonic lodges are making grand preparations for the event, which is to be the most important affair of the year.

A notable gathering of officers, delegates and their ladies from all over the United States is expected, and the Hotel Brunswick has already been engaged as the headquarters.

The arrangements for the celebration were given into the hands of the Royal Arch Chapter of Massachusetts, and at a meeting recently an executive committee to have full charge over all affairs was appointed.

The committee is composed of Past Grand High Priest J. Albert Blake, chairman; Past Grand High Priests J. Gilman Waite, Warren R. Ellis and Samuel F. Hubbard, and Grand High Priest Harry Hunt. This committee is working with General Grand High Priest Arthur G. Pollard of Lowell to make the 33d the most memorable of all the gatherings of the General Grand Chapter.

FATAL FALL

MAN DROPPED FROM ROOF OF CHURCH.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Walter Cathie, while at work on the roof of St. Bartholomew's church at Madison avenue and Forty-fourth street, lost his footing and rolled swiftly down the incline. At the edge he managed to grasp the gutter and his fall was arrested. For fully three minutes he vainly tried to pull himself back to safety, while the crowd on the sidewalk far below gazed with horror, unable to help him. Finally Cathie's hold on the gutter weakened and he crashed to the sidewalk. He was instantly killed.

HAS ELOPED

WOMAN GOES AWAY WITH HIRED MAN.

STERLING, Ill., March 17.—After she had forbidden her husband's hired man, William Mahen, to marry her daughter, Mrs. William Connelly, living near Galena Junction, eloped with the hired man. She took with her $100, received during the day by her husband for a load of hogs.

Mahen was in love with Bertha, 15-year-old daughter of Mrs. Connelly.

The husband followed the elopers as far as Clinton, Ia., and then gave up the chase.

She left him with five children, including the girl whom she had forbidden to marry the hired man.

ONE YEAR

STRIKER WAS SENTENCED TO PRISON.

NEW YORK, March 17.—One year in the penitentiary was the sentence imposed yesterday upon Edward Lynch, an ironworker, who recently was convicted of assaulting a watchman employed by Post & McCord.

Lynch is a member of the Housesmiths' and Bridgemen's Union, which has been on strike against the Post & McCord company for many months. During this strike there has been much violence, and several attempts have been made to dynamite buildings upon which the company had contracts.

GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Government receipts from internal revenue, $1,012,743; customs, $1,012,743; customs, $87,036; miscellaneous, $122,629; expenditures, $1,500,000.

McCALL ESTATE

May Not be Sued for Campaign Money

NEW YORK, March 17.—The World today says:

Opposition has arisen among the trustees of the New York Life Insurance Co. to the proposed suit against the estate of John A. McCall, to recover the "yellow dog" funds it gave to Andrew Hamilton and the process of policyholders' money for contributions to the republican national campaign of 1900, 1904 and 1904. It was said yesterday that this opposition was so strong that it would be able to defeat the movement to sue.

It also developed yesterday that the members of the finance committee who served at the times the campaign payments were made, have about completed a plan to make good the total amount of their own pockets. The opposition to taking the action of McCall has become so open that it is said that the trustees favoring such action will not dare to bring before the trustees a resolution authorizing the procedure. Such a resolution would be necessary for authorization has only been given so far to sue McCall personally. "But no matter what may be done with reference to the McCall estate suits will be brought against Hamilton for restitution."

LOWELL LOST

BASKETBALL TEAM WAS DEFEATED AT PORTSMOUTH.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 17.—Portsmouth beat the All Star team of Lowell to a standstill here last evening in one of the fastest games of the season. The playing of Cragen, Lacasse, Sheridan and Doyle was the feature. The summary:

PORTSMOUTH		LOWELL
Follensbee rf		lb Tighe
Cragen lf		rb Field
Sheridan c		c Doyle
Barraclough rb		lf Low
Lacasse lb		rf Allard

Score, Portsmouth 23, Lowell 14. Goals from floor, Lacasse 6, Barraclough 3, Cragen 3, Follensbee 2, Sheridan, Doyle 4, Allard, Tighe. Goals from fouls, Portsmouth 3, Lowell 2. Referee, McGraw. Timer, Hett. Time, three 15m periods. Attendance, 600.

TWO LOST

FISHERMEN DROWNED DURING A DENSE FOG.

BOSTON, March 17. Captain J. H. Larkin of the fishing schooner Unatl, which arrived at T wharf today, reported that Rufus McKay and Joseph Modest, both of Gloucester, who were lost from the schooner Lucania during a dense fog on Georges Banks, a week ago, were picked up about 12 hours later by the schooner Fanny Prescott. The schooner is due here next week.

GEN. STOESSEL

WANTS JAPANESE COMMANDERS CALLED AS WITNESSES.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 17.—The evidence taken in the course of investigation into the surrender of Port Arthur by Lieutenant General Stoessel which probably will drag on for six weeks longer, will heavily damage the reputation of Stoessel, who is now demanding that General Nogi and other Japanese commanders be summoned as witnesses to testify to the heroic character of the defense.

GIVES $110,000

CARNEGIE DISPOSES OF THAT SUM IN 20 MINUTES.

RICHMOND, Va., March 17.—It took twenty minutes for Andrew Carnegie to give away $110,000 upon his arrival here from Jacksonville, Fla., en route to Hot Springs, accompanied by his little daughter.

The sum of $100,000 was added to a similar amount already donated for a Carnegie library in this city.

Mr. Lorraine, spokesman for a railroad Young Men's Christian Association delegation, informed Mr. Carnegie that $50,000 had already been contributed for a new building, and that about $10,000 more was needed to fit out an extra floor.

"Is that all?" said Mr. Carnegie. "Why, certainly. I am only too glad to do it."

THE EAGLES

HAVE CHANGED TIME OF BIG CONVENTION.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 17.—The grand trustees of the fraternal order of Eagles in session in this city has changed the time for holding the grand aerie in Milwaukee from the second to the third week of August next. It was also decided that aeries could be instituted in the province of Ontario providing care was taken to see that the insurance law of the province was not violated.

BOWLING NEWS

The following is the standing of the teams in the Merrimack Valley league as well as the list of players with an average of 90 or over:

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.	Pins
Haverhill	12	6	.666	8165
Nashua	10	8	.555	7973
Lowell	7	11	.389	8017
Lawrence	7	11	.389	7817

HAVERHILL 6, LYNN 4.

HAVERHILL, March 17.—Haverhill defeated Lynn in the Eastern Pole League last evening, 6 to 4, in an interesting game.

HAVERHILL—6	4—LYNN
Mercer lr	lr Lincoln
McGilvary cr	cr Harkins
Devlin hb	hb Gardner
Mallory g	g Bannon

Goals Won by	Made by	Time
1 Lynn	Harkins	14.32
2 Haverhill	McGilvary	.50
3 Lynn	Lincoln	.03
4 Haverhill	Mercer	1.15
5 Lynn	Lincoln	.19
6 Haverhill	Mercer	5.00
7 Haverhill	McGilvary	5.30
8 Lynn	Lincoln	.21
9 Haverhill	Mercer	.45
10 Haverhill	Mercer	3.02

Score—Haverhill 6, Lynn 4. Rushes—Mercer 5, Lincoln 4. Stops—Mallory 22, Bannon 32. Foul—Lynn. Referee—Connors. Timer—Smith. Time—Three 15-minute periods. Attendance—500.

NIGHT OPERATOR

Said That He Caused Collision

PUEBLO, Col., March 17.—When advised of the report that the night operator at Swallows, S. F. Lively, had made a confession in which he acknowledged his responsibility for the collision of the two passenger trains on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad near Florence early yesterday morning which resulted in a disastrous wreck and that Lively claimed to have been in a condition of stupor at the time, owing to a long watch at his post, local officials of the Denver & Rio Grande denied positively last night having any knowledge of such confession.

It was stated, however, that the operator had assumed a longer shift on the night of the wreck than was usually required of him, but this, it was understood, was for reasons only known to himself.

MORAN BROS.

HAVE SOLD OUT TO EASTERN CAPITALISTS.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 17.—The Post-Intelligencer today prints a statement signed by Robert Moran, president of the Moran Bros. Co., builders of the battleship Nebraska, announcing the sale to eastern capitalists associated with the Griscoms of Philadelphia, of control of their company. The consideration, while not stated, is known to be between $2,500,000 and $3,500,000. The statement says they reserve for completion and delivery to the government by themselves, the battleship Nebraska.

J. V. Patterson who has had charge of the construction and maintainance of the trans-Atlantic fleet of the International Navigation Co. for 10 years will be associated in the management with G. H. Higbee, lately manager of the International Navigation Co. and of the Empire line. The Griscoms of Philadelphia will be associated with these gentlemen.

BIG PLANT

IT WILL COST ABOUT $5,000,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—Work was commenced yesterday on the $5,000,000 plant of the American Smelting Co. at Point San Bruno, San Mateo county. A pier of a mile long is to be run into the bay so that deep water ships may load and unload. The smelting works will give employment to 2000 men. The company has 200 acres at the point.

DR. WATSON

TO LECTURE IN WESTERN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.

PITTSBURG, March 17.—Rev. Dr. John Watson of Liverpool, Eng., ("Ian McLaren) author of the "Bonnie Brier Bush" and many other books, is to be the lecturer extraordinary in the western theological seminary for a course of lectures next year. The arrangement has been worked out by the Rev. Dr. David Greggan, president of the seminary. Dr. Watson is entirely willing to come, provided some church will give him preaching for the year.

Josiah Thompson, the millionaire of Fayette county, has taken up the idea on behalf of the First Presbyterian church of Uniontown, of which he is a leading member. This is one of the wealthiest congregations in western Pennsylvania and the people are delighted with the idea of securing "Ian McLaren" for their stated supply.

DR. RILEY

WAS A MARTYR TO HIS DUTY.

MALDEN, March 17.—That Dr. William N. Riley, 26 years old, who died yesterday morning suddenly from heart failure, brought on by physical exhaustion, sacrificed his life to walk several miles to attend a patient in the height of Thursday night's storm, is the general sentiment of his friends.

Arriving home from this professional visit shortly after midnight, Dr. Riley went immediately to bed without awakening his mother or any of his brothers or sisters.

At breakfast time Dr. Riley complained of a sinking spell. He was dead before the family physician, Dr. C. D. McCarthy, reached his patient's bedside.

BETTING

WILL BE REGULATED IN FUTURE BY JOCKEY CLUB.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Rev. Dr. Thomas B. Slicer, confirmed the report last night of the existence of an agreement between the Jockey Club and the state conference of religious by which race track betting is to be regulated in the future. The details of this agreement he refused to make public. He said:

"The agreement will have the effect of restricting betting at the race track and abolishing the poolrooms. Of course persons will still be able to make bets over the telephone and settle the wagers by the newspaper orders the next day."

The existing agreement he said was entered into between F. K. Sturgis of the Jockey Club and Joseph S. Auerbach, its counsel and himself acting for the religious committee. The agreement, Dr. Slicer said, had been unanimously agreed to by the stewards of the Jockey club. It will go into effect at the Bennings meeting, which opens on March 26.

Philip J. Dwyer, an important member of the Jockey club is quoted today as having declared that the club had no agreement with the clergyman. He said the proposition was ridiculous.

SUPT. MORSE

WORKED HARD TO CLEAR THE ROUTE.

Superintendent Charles Morse of the street department and a big gang of men worked like Trojans all last night in clearing the snow off the streets over which the parade passed today. The task was a big one, but he succeeded in putting the streets in fine condition, considering the short space of time allowed and the amount of snow to be removed.

After the streets had been shoveled, the scraper went over the route and leveled the snow and this morning a gang was put at work with scrapers to put the finishing touches on the route.

Don't Wait

For Spring to come, but take Hood's Sarsaparilla now. It will do you good. The heavier living and closer confinement of the winter, the effects of colder, damp, changeable weather on the pores of the skin and the harder work of this season are beginning to tell on you. Hood's Sarsaparilla, taken just at this time, will give your system just what it needs and must have, and will help you over this hard spot—the bare ground, as it were—and quite likely save you from a serious illness later. "A stitch in time saves nine" is a wise old saw, hence we repeat, Don't wait, but begin to take Hood's Sarsaparilla now. It purifies and enriches the blood, strengthens the stomach, improves the appetite, and gives health and strength. It effects radical and permanent cures of all blood, stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Today buy and begin to take

"Putnam, Conn., Jan. 17, 1905.
"My confidence in Hood's Sarsaparilla is established by much experience. I take it regularly every spring and think it just what every one needs for a good blood purifier and tonic. One winter I had serious palpitation of the heart, sick headache, that extreme tired feeling. Could not sleep nights, nervous system seemed unstrung. On taking Hood's all these bad symptoms disappeared. I am well and my weight has increased from 140 to 178 pounds." MRS. F. H. ANDREWS, R. F. D. No. 2.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

SPECIAL.—To meet the wishes of those who prefer medicine in tablet form, we are now putting up Hood's Sarsaparilla in chocolate-coated tablets as well as in the usual liquid form. By reducing Hood's Sarsaparilla to a solid extract, we have retained in the tablets the curative properties of every medicinal ingredient
Sold by druggists or sent by mail. 100 doses one dollar. C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Held in the Churches This Morning

Special religious services were held in all the Catholic churches this morning consisting of high mass and special music. In most of the churches the panegyrics on St. Patrick were delivered last evening. The great Irish hymn "Hail Glorious Apostle" was sung in all the churches. The services were largely attended in all churches, many of the church societies that afterward appeared in the parade attending service in the morning.

WAS DROWNED

TELEGRAPH OPERATOR LOST HIS LIFE IN MYSTIC LAKE.

MEDFORD, March 17.—John J. Decourcey, aged 41, a well-known telegraph operator, was drowned last night, shortly after 7 o'clock, in lower Mystic lake, despite the efforts of his brother, Joseph, to save him.

Both were out in a boat spearing eels. The craft was leaking and before the occupants realized it, was nearly full. They began to bail but the water gained rapidly and the boat suddenly filled and sank.

WAS STABBED

BRITISH SAILOR KILLED IN A BARROOM.

GENOA, March 17.—A sailor belonging to the British battleship Bulwark was killed yesterday by stabbing after a quarrel in a barroom with several foreigners, including members of Buffalo Bill's Wild West company. One of the latter, called Davis, was arrested, but his culpability has not yet been established.

MR. MARION

ENTERTAINED AT HIS NEW STUDIO.

John S. Marion, the well known artist, held open house in his new studio on the top floor of the Swan building last night. Friends and patrons of Mr. Marion were present and inspected the new and commodious quarters. Mrs. Marion assisted in receiving.

Signor Picco and Miss Nora Murphy whose studios are on the same floor had their rooms open for the accommodation of Mr. Marion's guests. In Signor Picco's studio pleasing music was given, Mrs. W. H. Pepin singing selections from the "Daughter of the Regiment" and also "Come to Me, Sweetheart," by Bartlett and Mrs. John MacNamara singing "For All Eternity" by Angelo Mascheroni, and Hawley's "Because I Love You, Dear," with Mrs. Mary G. Reed as the accompanist. Signor Picco, who was to have sung, was unhappily prevented from doing so by a very bad cold. With characteristic grace, however, he helped Mr. and Mrs. Marion entertain, adding much charm to the pleasant affair by his cordial hospitality, as did also Miss Murphy on her side of the house.

Refreshments were served in a corner of Signor Picco's studio as well as in the anteroom of the Marion studio. The reception was from 8 to 10 o'clock.

Mr. Marion's studio equipped as it is at the present time is the prettiest this side of New York. Visitors last night were shown through the place, over the mysterious printing, developing and work rooms, but interest centered, of course, upon the beautiful reception rooms, an artistic nest full of beautiful things. This room is in red and white, with an outer wall of deep green showing beyond the red partition wall, of a charming and unusual effect. In this room hang portraits of several of Lowell's best known society leaders, and upon a table a fascinating collection of beauties further invite you to inspect Marion's art. In this reception room, as in the anteroom before it, and the operating room beyond, rare vases, Oriental rugs, curtains and pillows, chairs, settees and tables of dainty and rare design and green plants here and there, form a rarely attractive scene, which place this Lowell studio in point of art and chic fully on a par with many metropolitan studios.

The two dressing rooms connected with the studio, one in pink and white the other in blue and white, are especially dainty.

Among the guests who called last night, many were from out of town, there being present friends and patrons of the Lowell artist from Boston, Nashua, Lawrence and other cities.

Y. M. C. I. DRAMA

Irish Play Presented Last Night

"Shannon Boys," an Irish drama in four acts, was presented by the Y. M. C. I. Dramatic company before a large and enthusiastic audience in the Immaculate Conception hall last night.

The scene of the play is laid in a small village in Ireland. Sir Richard Forbes is the owner of the land, and stationed nearby is the British regiment, commanded by Col. Dixon. The part of the owner is very well taken by Mr. Thomas Fee, and the part of the colonel is taken in good style by Mr. Bernard McArdell. Mr. Jeremiah Leary, as Capt. Ralph Forbes, son of the land owner, created a very favorable impression in his part. The hero, Phil Swift, a typical Irish lad, was the character taken by Albert Meehan, who deserves much credit for his fine acting.

Miss Katherine McDonough as Molly Moore, daughter of Daniel Moore, was the heroine and played her part in a very meritorious manner. Miss Alice Bagley as Helen Dixon, daughter of Col. Dixon, showed her ability as did Miss Julia Tavor and Miss Winnie Chaloux.

During the acts there were songs by Mr. Edward Jennings, Mr. A. Doyle, Mr. T. Duffy, Mr. Martin Maguire, Miss Alice Bagley, Miss Mabel Lee, Miss Katherine McDonough, assisted by a large chorus.

The committee in charge of the entertainment was: John C. Farrington, James Donnelly, George F. O'Meara, J. J. Sullivan, Michael Clawan and Frank McCartin.

Prizes for the young people were awarded during the evening as follows: First for girls, Gertrude Duffy, 31 Alder street; second, Margaret Rooney, 117 Paige street; first for boys, Paul Chappelle, 53 Bartlett street; second, George Levinsky, 28 Andover street.

At the end of the performance a very pretty tableau was presented by Miss Mabel Lee, representing Ireland, while Miss Katherine McDonough sang "Ireland, I Love You."

All lovers of Ireland's own Parnell are going to New M. T. I. hall tonight.

SACRED HEART

PROGRAM CARRIED OUT BY THE SCHOOL CHILDREN.

An excellent program appropriate to St. Patrick's day was carried out yesterday by the children of the Sacred Heart school. The Sisters of St. Mary had charge and the following was the program:

Opening hymn, "Hibernia's Champion Saint;" recitation, "What Saint Do We Honor Today?" recitation, "The Little Flower, Shamrock;" recitation, and song, "A Little Gift from Ireland;" "St. Patrick's Day;" Historical Echoes of Erin;' song, "Beautiful Isle of the Sea;" St. Patrick's Hawthorn; song, "The Minstrel Boy;" recitation, "The Little Shamrock;" song, "Killarney;" recitation, "The Vision of St. Patrick;" "Ireland's Emblem; "Biographical Sketch of St. Patrick;" "Come Back to Erin's the Song I Love Best;" recitation, "Erin's Flag;" hymn, "Hail, Glorious St. Patrick;" recitation, "The Three Travellers;"

There was a large attendance of the parents and friends of the pupils. The priests present were: Rev. Fr. Smith, O. M. I., pastor; Rev. Fr. Barrett, O. M. I., Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I., and Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O. M. I.

PENTUCKET ANNIVERSARY.

Arrangements have been completed for the 99th anniversary of Pentucket lodge, F. A. M. The exercises will be held at 7 o'clock Thursday evening.

Worshipful Master B. W. Clements, Senior Warden Frank W. Hall and Junior Warden George F. Howes will have charge of the exercises. The officers of the lodge are: Worshipful Brother Avery B. Clark, treasurer; Lucius A. Derby, secretary; Rev. Geo. C. Wright and D. R. Wallace, chaplains; William H. Foster, marshal; Milo W. Hale, Jr., and Martin J. Kirkby, senior and junior deacons; Frank D. Proctor and H. T. B. Richardson, senior and junior stewards; James Hunt, inside sentinel; Irvin A. Foote, organist; Worshipful Brother Frank K. Stearns, tyler.

Entrancing Irish Airs, New M. T. I. hall, Dutton st., tonight—25 cents.

EXTRA

TWO MEN KILLED

Bad Train Wreck at West Windham, N. H.

WEST WINDHAM, N. H., March 17.—Two freight trains on the Worcester, Nashua & Portland division of the Boston & Maine railroad collided headon near the local station early today and two men were killed and two seriously injured. The dead:

MALNAN, fireman.

FARRELL, brakeman.

The injured (names) were taken to a hospital at Lawrence, Mass. The locomotives lay on the main track and it is understood that failure to deliver orders caused the collision. The cause of the accident is not known.

Both engines were badly smashed. Engineer Hugh R. Shaw of Nashua was one of those seriously hurt. The other was Fireman Alfred E. Burton of Monument Square, N. Y.

Two box cars were crushed, one No. 3[illegible] from Portland, and water freight No. 6[illegible] from Nashua. Where the fault lies has not yet been made public. Both trains were running at a pretty high rate of speed when they came together. At this point the track runs on an embankment about 20 feet high beside a deep gully and the force of the impact broke the boilers of the engines and the cabs of both became a total wreck and they fell down into the gully. The wrecked cars, some of which were loaded, completely blocked the single track railroad and although a force of workmen started from Nashua early in the morning and from Lowell and Boston, it was expected that it would be several hours before the line could be cleared.

Besides the men killed and seriously injured, several other trainmen were slightly hurt.

THE INJURED

ONE OF THEM NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE.

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 17. The man injured in the freight wreck near West Windham, N. H., this morning was Engineer Hugh R. Shaw, 27 years old, 5[illegible] Arlington street, Worcester, and Brakeman Alfred E. Burton, 2[illegible], of Monument Square, N. Y.

Shaw had both legs crushed and his head cut. He is unconscious and is not expected to live.

Burton's left leg was broken and he was badly cut and bruised but will probably recover.

The men are at the Lawrence General hospital.

SHOWER OF GREEN

Charming Feature by Knights of Columbus

AS PARADE PASSED THEIR QUARTERS

Visiting Knights Were Royally Entertained

The Knights of Columbus presented one of the most charming features of the parade at their rooms this afternoon. "Open House" was held for members and visiting knights, of whom there are many in the city.

The rooms were neatly decorated, an organ recital was given and continuous refreshments were served.

When the parade passed the Association building the Knights treated them to a most charming surprise. All week long several men in Boston have been engaged preparing green confetti in the shape of miniature shamrocks, diamonds and other distinctive design with they had made several bushel baskets of it, all of which was shipped to the rooms of the Knights of Columbus. Then a large fan blower worked by an electric fan was made and through this blower the confetti was blown into the air over the heads of the marching hosts from the top floor of the building until it resembled green snow storm. In addition to the confetti many little green balloons and green flags were blown into the air and the whole descended in a graceful shower on the heads of the marchers while the confetti and balloons floated along with the paraders high up in the air. The effect was beautiful in the extreme and had to be seen to be appreciated.

WILLIE CORNELL

GOT A DRAW WITH YOUNG KENNEY.

The goods were delivered for fair at the Bridge City Athletic association in Lowell last night. The main event was a 10-round match between Young Kenney of Lawrence and Billy Cornell of Lowell. Both agreed to a draw with both on their feet. They went the 10 held 10 rounds Kenney being the aggressor. Kenney is fast footed to his old-time form. Preceding the main event three preliminaries were pulled off, in the first Young Hamel, the Lawrence 130-pound champ stopped Young Mack of Boston with a right hook on the jaw. Hennessey, the clever 125-pounder showed much improvement in a four-round bout with Cuddy of Lawrence. They went four rounds to a draw. Many present thought Hennessey should have had the award. Cuddy went down in the second round from a stiff right cross but washed his feet immediately. Cuddy's claim for not repeating his double trick on Joe was that the gloves were too big. Regan of Andover with Gilmore of Lowell were the next pair. They were to go six rounds but in the second Regan went down and although in no danger was sent to his corner a loser. Regan was in the lead up to this stage of the game. Kenney and Cornell gave a great and a fast bout resulted. The decision of a draw was well received. Walter Whittier, of Lowell, acted as referee. Tommy Talley of Lowell held the clock.

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STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Am Sugar	135¼
Am Sugar pfd	139
A & T	92¾
Rights	¼
A & T pfd	102¾
B & O	110
B & O pfd	97
B R T	8¼
Chi & Gt W	20¼
C R & Pac	26
C R & Pac pfd	64
C M & St P	175¾
*Con Gas	141¼
Del & Hud	206¼
Rights	2¾
Erie R R	41¼
Erie 1st	77¼
Erie 2d	67
Glen Elec	169
Met St Ry	117¾
Mis Pac	55¾
N Y Cen	146¼
N Y Ont & W	49¾
Penn	137¾
Mex Cen	24¾
Nat Lead	68¾
Nat Lead pfd	109¼
People's Gas	95
So Pac	77¾
So Pac pfd	118
Reading	47¾
*Reading pfd	91
Tex Pac	22½
Union Pac	150¾
Union Pac pfd	96
U S Steel	40¼
U S Steel pfd	107¼
Wabash	22¼
Wabash pfd	50¼
Central Leather	41
Central Leather pfd	101¼

BOSTON STOCKS.

Adventure	6¼
Allouez	5¾
Amalgamated	103¼
American Wool	22¾
American Wool pfd	90
Am Tel & Tel	132½
Arcadia	4
Anaconda	26¾
Atlantic	23¼
A A	1½
*Amoskeag Agricultural pfd	57¼
Boston	50
Bingham	25¾
Calumet	65
Centennial	20½
Chicago Junction	173
Chicago Junction pfd	12¼
Copper Range	75½
Dom Steel	21¼
Dom Coal	85¼
Daly-West	14¾
Dom Coal pfd	117
Elm	2¼
Franklin	19¼
Granby	12½
Greene	29¼
Mass	9
Mass Gas	49½
Mass Gas pfd	87
Mass Electric	20
Mass Electric pfd	70
M C & C	5
Michigan	12¼
Mohawk	57½
Mex Tel	4½
N E Tel	120¾
North Butte	50¾
N Y, N H & H R R	190
Osceola	102
Old Colony Mine	1¾
Old Colony R R	268
Old Dominion	45
Trinity	10¾
Parrott	27½
Quincy	91½
Shannon	7
Shoe Machinery	33½
Shoe Machinery pfd	91
Santa Fe	2
Royal	12½
Rhode Island	6¼
Tenna	13
Tamarack	168
Trinity	10¾
Utah	61¼
United States	32
United States pfd	46¾
U S Oil	12¼
Winona	2¼
Wolverine	156
Victoria	8½
Western Tel	13½
*Western Tel pfd	92
United Cops	67½

*Ex-Dividend.

HAVERHILL GIRL

Will Not Testify Against Lawrence Officer

LAWRENCE, March 17. Miss [illegible] of Haverhill, who [illegible] a complaint against Patrolman David J. Reilly, charging him with assault and battery, embezzlement and other charges, did not appear at the hearing before the mayor and aldermen last night.

Instead, Mayor Kane announced that he had received a special delivery letter late yesterday afternoon, in which she said that the charges were wholly without foundation and were made through spite. The letter was a lawyer's postscript.

The mayor called upon the lawyer, who was supposed to represent the complainant, and asked him to bring whereabouts. The lawyer said that he had not seen her since Tuesday, and from steps he had heard she had taken, inferred that he no longer represented her. The patrolman was present with counsel.

As Miss Gilboy had been served with a subpoena by a civil constable to attend the hearing, it was suggested that a process be taken to give her an opportunity to appear. This was done, and after half an hour the board reassembled without her.

Mayor Kane told the board that the woman had made the complaint to him and that he had replied her to sign it, after which he suspended the patrolman. She assured him then that she would be present at the hearing. Monday he had received a letter from her counsel in which she desired to withdraw the charges.

The mayor said that in justice to Patrolman Reilly he thought the woman should be present. He suggested that the board adjourn until Monday night, and in the meantime the city solicitor take steps to compel her attendance. This was voted.

PATIENT DEAD

Two Nurses Have Been Indicted

MONTPELIER, Vt., March 17.—The special grand jury yesterday reported two true bills in the Waterbury asylum case. R. D. Coon and H. J. Dennis, the two nurses who were arrested on a charge of manslaughter last October, are out on bail, and it is understood that both are out of the state. The indictments are in connection with the death of Peter Durant of Middlebury, who died about 10 days after being admitted to the asylum. It is charged that abuse at the hands of the accused nurses caused his death.

It was admitted that they had used some violence in handling the patient, who was disposed to be quarrelsome. Atty. Gen. Fitts assisted the state's attorney in presenting the case to the grand jury.

50 WITNESSES

Summoned by State in Cooper Trial

AUGUSTA, Me., March 17.—The opening for the state in the trial of Mrs. Alice P. Cooper for the alleged murder of C. D. Northey, Jr., was made in the supreme judicial court before Justice Henry C. Peabody of Portland today by County Attorney Thomas Leigh. Then the first of the half hundred witnesses summoned for the state were examined. The trial is expected to occupy nearly two weeks.

DROPPED DEAD

UNKNOWN WOMAN PASSES AWAY IN STREET.

BOSTON, March 17. An unknown woman fell dead on the sidewalk in Winter street, at the entrance to Winter place, yesterday afternoon, about 4.30 o'clock. The body was removed to the undertaking establishment of Fred Briggs, Howard street, to await identification.

In a Boston bag which the woman carried were found a pint bottle of whiskey, unopened, bought from Snow & Co., Blackstone street, $3.46 in money, and a trip ticket containing 16 rides between Jamaica Plain and Boston.

The body was examined by Medical Examiner Harris, who pronounced death due to heart failure.

REV. FR. DALY

A RELATIVE OF ARCHBISHOP O'CONNELL DEAD.

BOSTON, March 17. Word was received here of the death at Atlantic City of Rev. P. J. Daly, for many years pastor of St. Francis De Sales of Roxbury and one of the best known Catholic clergymen in Massachusetts. Several years ago Fr. Daly founded the Daly infant's home for destitute children in Dorchester. He was about 65 years old and previous to becoming pastor at Roxbury he was located at Winchester. He is a relative of Archbishop William H. O'Connell. The cause of death was complication following an operation for appendicitis.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

RUSSELL.—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Russell will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock at St. John's church, North Chelmsford. J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

BOSTON MARKET.

BOSTON, March 17.—Except for the activity and strength in U. S. Smelting shares, the local stock market was practically featureless today. Trading showed no improvement as respects volume of business. U. S. Smelting common advanced to 47¾, up 1½ during the early trading. United Copper recovered a portion of its decline yesterday, selling at 67¾, up ¾. There was no feature in the general list.

The market closed dull with an irregular tone. American Pneumatic closed 27½, Boston Consolidated 28 off ¼, Bingham 25¾ up ¾ and U. S. Smelting 57 up ¾.

IN THE CHURCHES

Sermon Subjects and Music for Tomorrow

[illegible] "Hell Fire" will be [illegible] sermon subject at [illegible] Tabernacle Sunday [illegible] evening he will have [illegible] "Heat Thing."

[illegible] Baptist church, Sun[illegible] H. Grattan Dockrell [illegible] "How a Rolling Stone [illegible]

[illegible] Vernon Place Baptist [illegible] evening, Rev. F. P. Carver will [illegible] on "What the Modern Church [illegible] To Do."

At the [illegible] congregational church, [illegible] Frederic Dunnels, is [illegible] evenings in Lent, [illegible] on "The Ethical [illegible]." The services at [illegible] congregational church [illegible] follows:

[illegible] "Spiritual Life." 6.30 p. m. [illegible] Men Ought To Be [illegible] through the Great [illegible]. The second in the series of Lenten sermons on "The [illegible] of the Bible."

[illegible] evening sermons and special [illegible] all the rest of the church.

SALOON FIGHT

One Man Killed and Three Injured

CHICAGO, March 17. One man was killed and three others were injured, one of them probably fatally, during a fight early today in the saloon of Henry Dusing at Lakeview. The dead man is William Curry. The wounded men were taken to a hospital. One of them was William Russell, a painter. Mr. Dusing and his bartender were arrested.

IN POLICE COURT

Business Was a Bit Quiet Today

A reporter, an erstwhile quiet dresser, stalked into police court today sporting the "very latest thing" in the coat line and a silk tie. A pale green handkerchief adorned his breast and he wore a fob of green moreen.

Samuel Wolf, charged with failing to provide proper and lawful support for his wife, had his case continued to Wednesday.

The case of Charles Ogmar, charged with assault and battery, was continued to March 24.

A man charged with drunkenness declared that his wife was a common drunkard and that she and her mother-in-law were responsible for his downfall. Judge Hadley told him his wife's appearance gave the lie to his statement.

John Coughlin, the man who thought of coaxing to Nance O'Neil, yesterday, asking her to go his bail, was in court today and was charged with the larceny of a pair of shoes and drunkenness. He allowed he was guilty. He was fined $10 for larceny and the charge of drunkenness was placed on file.

Chester Kargoung, the young man charged with larceny on three counts was in police court again today. The amounts used by him, after the recovery of $40 in cash and articles of value, amounts to $[illegible], and his sisters, faithful girls who have been loyal to him since his arrest, have agreed to pay the amount.

The court was lenient with him because it was his first offence and inquiry as to his antecedents, a matter always considered by Judge Hadley, was in his favor. Kargoung is not in good health and this fact was considered by the court.

DEATHS

CROCKETT.—Leander Crockett, an old resident, died at his home, 24 Maple street, this morning, aged 73 years, 11 months. He is survived by his widow and one son.

ESENATH.—Jemess Esenath, aged 92 years, 10 months, 27 days, perhaps the oldest resident of Lowell, died today at his home, 421 Wilder street.

BERGERON.—Mrs. Aquilas Bergeron, aged 20 years, 5 months, died yesterday at her residence, 4 Lavallee place. She leaves a husband and four small children.

FRAZIER.—Jane L., a well known resident, died last night at St. John's hospital, aged 60 years. The remains were taken to the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HOWE.—Died on Saturday morning at her late residence, 34 Methuen street, Mrs. Emily R. Howe, widow of the late George W. Howe. She leaves one son, Mr. Willard H. Howe of Burlington, Vt., and one sister, Miss M. H. Howe and two nephews, Dr. W. A. Johnson of Methuen street and Mr. George W. Hobson of Belvidere. Funeral announcement later.

ACCIDENT CASES.

Amos Regnas, a foundry employe, had his left wrist strained while at work yesterday, and was taken to his home in the ambulance. He lives at 430 Market street.

Peter Coyle, living at 88 Common street, fell from a ladder yesterday afternoon and fractured his hip. The ambulance removed him to the Lowell hospital.

Alfred Shute sustained a severe injury to one finger and several minor bruises while hoisting a derrick yesterday afternoon. He was taken in the ambulance to the Lowell hospital.

Wall Paper

—AT—

97 Appleton St.

REV. FR. REYNOLDS

Preached to Hibernians on St. Patrick

[illegible] Rev. Fr. Reynolds, [illegible] Vicar General of the diocese of Providence, preached a powerful sermon to the Knights of Columbus and their guests at the church of the Holy Cross yesterday morning. There were present and there were representatives of the other Catholic societies of the city.

Fr. Reynolds dwelt on what St. Patrick studied in his work. The faith he preached to the Irish people, and the three qualities of that faith, fervent [illegible] and [illegible] preaching.

"[illegible] the patron saint of Ireland. He said Saint Aidan established Lindisfarne in England, Saint Columbanus established Bobbio in France, Columbkill in the apostle of Iona, Scotland, Saint Cataldus and Saint Donatus are the apostles of Italy, Saint Gall of Switzerland, and Saint Killian, apostle of Bavaria."

The speaker stated that there are 156 Irish saints in the calendar of Germany, 6 Irish saints on the calendar of Belgium, 46 on the English calendar, 11 on the calendar of Italy, and Norway and Iceland each have eight.

Fr. Reynolds dwelt on the history of the Elizabethan and Cromwellian persecutions. Cromwell, he continued, said the speaker, that Ireland should become Protestant or be destroyed. Ireland did not become Protestant, neither was it destroyed."

The speaker closed his remarks by stating that the lesson to be drawn was not merely for the Irish race but for the whole world. First, the value of the faith; second, fidelity of a nation to a principle.

A short address to the local Hibernians closed the sermon.

The service closed with benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and the singing of "Hail, Glorious Apostle," by the congregation.

SCIENTIFIC SCHOOL

AT HARVARD IS TO BE ENLARGED.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 17.—The Lawrence scientific school of Harvard university will be enlarged and set up as a graduate school of science, according to plans of the Harvard corporation and overseers as indicated today taking a scientific course will hereafter receive their degree of S. B. from Harvard college in place of the scientific school. The change is largely one in registration and organization, since many of the students in the college department pursue their studies in classes in science at the Lawrence scientific school while the so-called scientific school students have pursued courses in the college proper. The effect of the transfer is the general enlargement and improvement. The scope of the scientific graduate school will be widened and the number of courses increased. The new organization of instruction will provide in Harvard college and graduate school of applied science five years of work in several fields of instruction. Under the new plan a student may take his work for the degree of bachelor of science in three years, this being in accordance of the rules of the college and may then receive his advance degree in the graduate science school in two years. The action of the governing board will place the new degrees of Harvard graduate school of applied science on a plane with the degrees in divinity, medicine and law, all of which require that the student hold a degree of arts and science from some recognized college.

CAUGHT ENEMY

MAN LANDED PARTY WHO SENT THREATENING LETTERS.

BOSTON, March 17. Hector J. Gosselin, 23 years old, living at 2 Carmel street, Roxbury, was arrested yesterday on a charge of writing threatening letters to David Shikes of 112 Tonnawanda street, Dorchester. He admitted writing one of the letters. He waived examination and was held for the grand jury in bonds of $[illegible].

Shikes, proprietor of a billiard parlor on Washington street, has received a number of anonymous letters asking sometimes for $[illegible], and threatening to injure his business if the money were refused. Gosselin sent a newsboy to Shikes' home with a letter asking for money while Gosselin remained some distance away. Shikes, placing some paper in an envelope, followed the boy and saw him give the envelope to Gosselin. When the latter saw Shikes he ran away. Shikes took the boy to the police station, and noticed that Gosselin, filled with curiosity, was following. When the matter was told to the police, Officer Loughlin slipped from a rear door and arrested Gosselin.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

A special meeting of Division 11, A. O. H., was held last night in Hibernian hall. The members will turn out in a body on Sunday to attend the funeral service held over the body of the late Michael O'Connor.

Middlesex lodge, K. of P., entertained the Black Prince lodge of Lawrence last night. There was a large delegation present from the down river city. A general good time followed the floor work of the visitors.

The regular meeting of Wamesit lodge, K. of P., was held last night. There were four candidates put through degrees.

Lowell lodge, No. 22, A. O. U. W., held its regular meeting at Odd Fellows' hall Thursday night. Three candidates are in preparation for initiation at the next meeting.

Under the good of the order Past Master Elmer Crowell offered the following resolutions for debate: "Resolved, that unlimited license is for the best interest of the people of Lowell." There was much discussion on both sides and good speaking. The debate will be concluded at next meeting. All the members are invited.

PASTOR CALLED.

MALDEN, Mass., March 17.—Rev. Henry A. Barker, for three years assistant pastor of the Maple Congregational church in this city, today received a call to the Congregational church at Hyde, N. H. He did not announce his decision in the matter today. Rev. Mr. Barker came to this city from New Ipswich, N. H.

TRANSITORY FRENZY

The Defense Set Up by Schidlofski

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 17. Counsel for John Schidlofski who has been on trial this week on the charge of murdering his wife made his argument today. Counsel for defendant did not deny the fact of the killing of the woman by the prisoner. The argument was based by Henry H. Winslow, counsel for Schidlofski. He said that the evidence produced no testimony to support the charge of murder in the first degree. On the contrary he claimed, the evidence showed that Schidlofski had not a fair trial.

Counsel for defendant then argued that the defendant did not kill his wife in the attempt to do so, but that he killed her in a transitory frenzy. The attorney said that Schidlofski was so intoxicated that he could recall nothing of what he had done except that he had quarreled with his wife on the way to the golf links in Belmont where the woman's body was found and submitted that he was under the influence of a transitory frenzy. This was the plea from which Schidlofski was suffering, according to the doctors for the defense.

POISONED

DYE IN STOCKING FEARED ATTEMPT TO KILL.

BOSTON, March 17.—Redford McCormick, former crack swimmer and athlete, is seriously ill at his home in Brookline from blood poisoning. A few weeks ago McCormick scraped his right foot while swimming in the Brookline public baths and broke the skin between two toes. The dye in his stocking inoculated him with poison.

The young man then left Boston of the wound at his home and went to New York with the Brookline swimming club, which took part in the national championship swimming championship. There McCormick was taken ill and was ordered to his home in Boston. It was feared his right leg might have to be amputated and he may be obliged to abandon his aquatic career.

McCormick is about 2[illegible] years of age. Several years ago he was regarded as one of the most remarkable schoolboy swimmers in America and he was the schoolboy to receive the certificate from the Massachusetts Humane Society for proficiency in swimming and demonstration of the methods used in life saving. He was also the winner of the Channing goal medal for all-round proficiency in swimming. McCormick was a member of the noted team of Brookline swimmers that first won the national championship at relay racing and for several years he had been regarded as a crack water polo player.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

BOWE.—The funeral of Minnie E. Bowe will take place from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Cahill, 20 Hawthorne street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Undertaker Rogers in charge.

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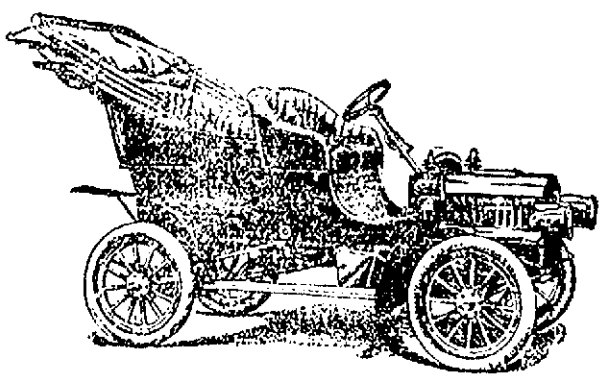

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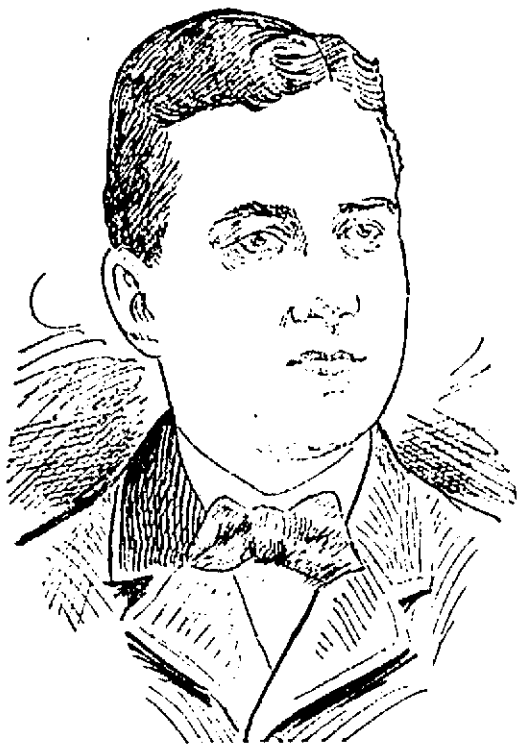

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Brief Biographical Sketch of Humphrey O'Sullivan

Born in Ireland He Came Here As a Printer—Invented Rubber Heels and Made a Fortune

If his prominence in today's monster celebration were the only notable event in the life of Humphrey O'Sullivan, chief marshal of the parade, it would justly be the completion of a respectable biographical sketch. But Mr. O'Sullivan's career has many events of still greater interest so that as a prominent name in the public eye, a very successful business man, a public-spirited citizen and a princely giver to every good cause, a brief story of his life will, we believe, be read with interest, especially at this time.

Born in the little town of Skibereen on the southern coast of Ireland near the city of Cork, October 7, 1853, Humphrey O'Sullivan had to depend upon his own brains about for advancement. He was the son of Timothy and Catherine (Mahoney) O'Sullivan, his mother's maiden name being Ferry, both were honest, hard-working people, the mother being noted for her personal charms and a faculty for diplomacy that enabled her to avail the most of the opportunities [illegible] to start [illegible] through life.

[illegible] with the ancestry of the family and trace back to the [illegible] of Donald Cam O'Sullivan at the battle of Dunbay and in [illegible] adventure and [illegible] the people of the country [illegible] to escape the soldiery and defeat the effort to confiscate their lands.

Young O'Sullivan was educated at the national school of his native town, where the principal subjects of a general education were taught. So marked was his progress that before leaving school he was offered a position as teacher, which, however, he declined as his ambition and his tastes seemed to lead in another direction. He contracted to learn the business of a printer and had scarcely closed his apprenticeship when he was called for a time to take charge of the Daily Telegram in the city of Cork. While there he engaged in a public oratorical contest in which he won first prize. This brought him distinction on account of his youth and he was encouraged to enter a similar contest in the city of Dublin, and in this he was also successful. On this triumph he felt considerable personal pride for the reason that he was opposed by college students and that it was A. M. Sullivan, a distinguished journalist and member of parliament who pinned the prize badge on the lapel of his coat.

But the ambitious boy printer prouder of his trade than of anything else in the world thought that he would seek a better and a happier land and so equipped with a traveling card as a printer, he embarked for the United States. On July 5th, 1871 he deposited his union card with the Typographical union of New York and came to Lowell where he was cordially greeted by relatives. He worked at the printing trade in Lowell and Lawrence but was subsequently induced to enter the retail shoe business with his brother.

About this time Mr. O'Sullivan was united in marriage to Miss Hannah Driscoll, a very estimable young lady who has proved a most devoted wife. Their union has not been blessed with children but their married life has, nevertheless, been one of real happiness.

In religion Mr. O'Sullivan is a Catholic, in politics a democrat, although he has held no political office nor ever sought any at the polls.

Mr. O'Sullivan's leading characteristic as a business man is shrewdness and ability to see and grasp an opportunity. In the shoe business, the demand for rubber heels and soles suggested to Mr. O'Sullivan the rubber heel which he promptly invented and upon this alone he made a respectable fortune. He possessed not only the ingenuity to invent the heel but the business tact and capacity to hold it in his own hands, and to put it on the market so as to derive whatever profit it might bring.

Before O'Sullivan's rubber heel was invented, the rubber heel was put on with cement and small screws. Of necessity, the screws took away from whatever resiliency the rubber had. This thing had gone along for years, and it occurred to him that there was a whole lot of waste of rubber, and all the resiliency was lost, and therefore undertook to mould a rubber heel that would fit the leather heel exactly, have no waste and countersunk the attaching nails, so that when the heels were attached, and all the time they were being worn, the attaching nails did not retard the resiliency, because much as it was sunk as close as it would hold to the upper surface of the rubber heel.

The story of O'Sullivan's rubber heels has gone around the world. Seldom has any article been so well advertised by every medium of reaching the people, the newspaper, the magazine, the street car and the bill board. In all these various channels it is estimated that already several million dollars have been spent in advertising the O'Sullivan rubber heel. Is it any wonder that it is known and used in every country of Europe, in Australia, China, Japan, South America, South Africa and of course also across the border in Canada. The O'Sullivan heel is the pioneer, there are now many substitutes but none to compare with the genuine. For thirty odd years the O'Sullivans have spent $[illegible] annually in advertising alone so that this new industry created by rubber heels is one of great importance. The concern that attempts to built against it with a rival or substitute heel may be prepared to expend a barrel of money or lose what they put in. The O'Sullivan heel still holds its supremacy on the market and the shipments to every part of the world now equals the shipments of some of Lowell's oldest and best patent medicines.

In 1895 the O'Sullivan rubber business was incorporated under the name of the O'Sullivan Rubber company, with J. Munn Andrews as business manager. The stock of the company has never been offered for sale to anyone, and is not liable to be. Under the management of Mr. Andrews the business has assumed large proportions. Apart from the rubber heel business Mr. O'Sullivan is a director of the Lowell Trust company, trustee of a savings bank and treasurer of three companies of which he is a member.

Mr. O'Sullivan is a member of the Knights of Columbus, Celtics, Yorick club, Right Hand club, American Irish Historical society, the Foresters and Lowell Typographical union. He is at present a member of the democratic state central committee from this district and was chosen a member of the executive committee of that body.

Mention of Mr. O'Sullivan's membership in the Typographical union recalls a comical incident in connection with the printers' strike for an eight hour day to which he contributed $500, and afterwards, it is understood, financed the strike to the extent of more than twice that amount, all out of sympathy for the craft. The strike had been in progress nearly two months when Mr. O'Sullivan, who had not worked at the business for over twenty years, on meeting one of the master printers addressed him thus: "I suppose Mr. - you know that I am on strike for the eight-hour day in the job printing business, and I hereby inform you that I will not go back to work until our demands are granted."

The Typographical union was not the only beneficiary of Mr. O'Sullivan's liberality. When old St. Patrick's church was burned, a few years ago, the first communication that reached the permanent rector, Rev. William O'Brien, was a letter of sympathy from Humphrey O'Sullivan enclosing a check for $1000 as a nucleus for a fund to rebuild the church.

In the Irish movement Mr. O'Sullivan has been a consistent worker ever since he settled in this country. In the old Land League days he was a regular attendant at the meetings and for a time held office in the organization, contributing his mite whenever there was a demand for funds. In recent years he has aided every organization calculated to benefit Ireland or her people. At a meeting of the United Irish League in old Huntington hall when Davitt and Dillon spoke here, some four years ago, he contributed $[illegible] to the parliamentary movement. At a great demonstration in Faneuil hall, under the auspices of the United Irish League, last January, at which Mayor Fitzgerald presided, Mr. O'Sullivan won great applause and commendation by handing in his check for $500, just double the amount of the largest contribution from Boston.

For some time past he has been mentioned as a candidate for police commissioner. In case he should get the appointment it is safe to say that no man would ever accuse him of accepting bribes. Of late he has been frequently urged to allow his name to be used as a candidate for mayor on the democratic ticket next fall; but he has thus far steadily withheld his consent, although it is not at all certain that this means ultimate refusal in case the pressure should continue. As he is a man who has absolutely no personal enemies, for that reason alone even some of his best friends would regret to see him enter the arena of political strife.

Young in appearance for a man of his years, Humphrey O'Sullivan may be able to assist in celebrating St. Patrick's day for the next quarter of a century. But today at the height of his popularity, it is the wish of his legion of friends that he may be vouchsafed a long life and that his declining years all calm, peaceful and radiant may depend for a glorious sunset.

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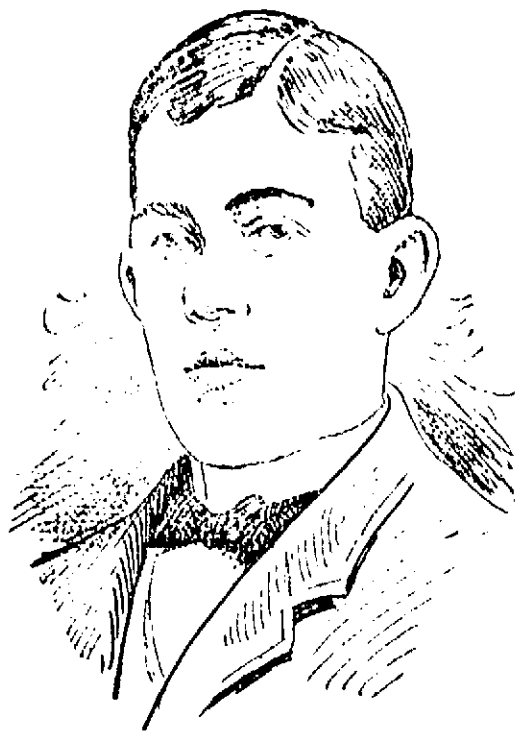

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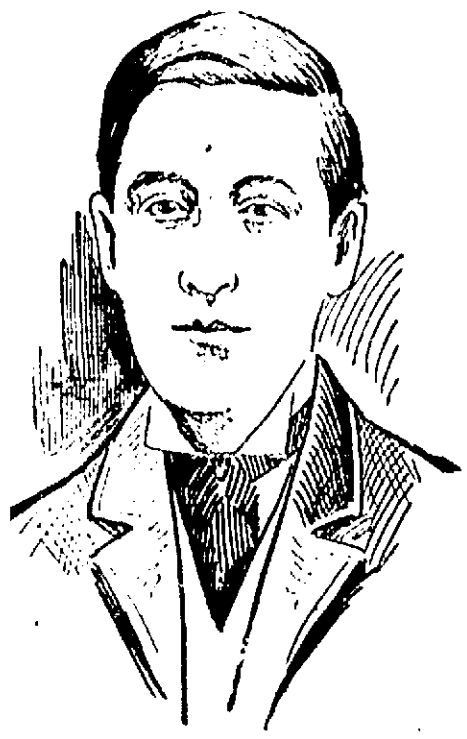

DR. FRANCIS O'SULLIVAN, SURGEON.

APOSTLE OF ERIN

Able Panegyric Delivered by Rev. D. A Sullivan O.M.I.

At the Sacred Heart Church Last Night Before a Large Congregation—Ireland the Missionary of the World

At the Sacred Heart church last evening Rev. D. A. Sullivan, O. M. I., of the Immaculate Conception church delivered an eloquent panegyric on St. Patrick before a very large congregation. He spoke in part as follows:

The twelfth chapter of Genesis furnishes a most appropriate text to introduce the few remarks I wish to make concerning one of God's noblemen.

"Go forth out of thy country and from thy kindred, and out of thy father's house, and come into the land which I shall show thee. And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee and magnify thy name and thou shalt be blessed."—Genesis xii, 1.

Seven cities have contended for the birth of Homer; almost as many nations have claimed the honor of giving birth to the Apostle of Ireland. Though England, Scotland, France and Wales may dispute the glory of having rocked his cradle, one thing remains undisputed, one thing is certain—Ireland was the theatre of St. Patrick's apostolic labors. Ireland is the land he reclaimed from Paganism, and presented to the living God as one of the greenest laurels that ever decked the brow of triumphant christianity.

FAITH DEFINED.

There are two words, the visible and the invisible; the one is our native country, our families, our friends, our churches, our theatres, our joys, our sorrows, all that is about us. The other is the world that "Eye hath not seen, ear hath not heard, nor hath it entered into the heart of man to conceive"—that is the world revealed to us by faith. We say in the creed "I believe in God the father almighty, creator of all things visible and invisible." Now in that invisible world, first of all is the God who created and redeemed us, then come the angels and saints. In that invisible world too are all the friends that we loved, who have been taken from us by the hand of death; those the very sound of whose name brings the tear to our eyes, and the prayer of suffrage to our lips—even though we do not see them, we are not unmindful of our dead. "Like others who have no hope." Now, the virtue of faith is the power that God gives by divine grace to you to realize the invisible world, and to realize it in such a manner that you will almost know more about it than the world around you.

ST. PATRICK'S FAITH.

And truly, brethren, it was this "Divine Power" burning within him that nerved the great Apostle to the task of bursting asunder the ties that bound him to home, parents, all that was next to his heart; it was this power guided the bark freighted with Ireland's future to the "Evergreen shores of Inber Dea"; it was this power that spoke to young Patrick in his night watch on the hills of Dalaradia; yea it was this same strong living faith that urged St. Patrick to the hill of Tara, there to begin the task which succeeding ages have and posterity will look upon as a most stupendous miracle the remarkable conversion of the Irish race.

ENTRUSTED TO THE IRISH NATION.

On an Easter Sunday morning in the year 432, exactly 1669 years before America was discovered, a most singular sight presented itself. Ireland's king was holding court at Tara; around him were the chieftains of the nation—the Pagan priests, the Druids of the old fire worship, around him again, on either side, enthroned as monarchs, sat the magnificent ancient minstrels of Ireland, with snow-white beards, their harps upon their knees, filling all the air with the glorious melody of Ireland's music. Suddenly a man appeared with mitre on head, cape on shoulders, and a crozier in his hand with the cross of Christ upon it. This was Patrick who came from Rome to bring God's greatest gift to the Irish nation—the gift of faith. They received him as perhaps a civilized and enlightened people. Plunged though they were in Paganism, they allowed the stranger to plead his christian cause, and when they heard his reasons they gave him permission to preach his doctrine throughout the land. Now have you heard of any other uncivilized people who willingly gave up their idols at the call of reason? Have you ever heard of any barbarous nation of any barbarous because the Irish were never savage listening patiently to an attack from strange ministers upon the most devoted object of their worship?

Yet when the saint's voice struck upon the intelligence of the Irish people, they abandoned all their Druidism, and never was there a people, that so embraced the light and took it all into their minds, took it into their hearts and put it into their blood the light of faith, as did Ireland in the day of her conversion. Ireland never asked her apostle to shed one tear of sorrow. She rose up, put her hand in his like a friend, took the message from his lips, surrounded him with honor and the veneration of the people.

DESPITE PERSECUTION THE FAITH FLOURISHED.

Since St. Patrick died fourteen centuries have gone, and many a change has passed upon the land he loved. Language, laws, customs have changed since then, but one thing has not changed. "The cross like in Milan glittered in the haze of battle, and pointed to eternity." In war, in peace, at home, abroad, in the monasteries of Europe, in the wilds of Australia, in the rain shiver, and shattered aisles of a desolate Irish grandeur, in the cathedrals raised by Irish hands on the Eastern hemisphere, in the basilicas of Rome, in the even ruins of Celtic revelation, at Glendalough in the classic halls of Oxford of Cambrame, amidst vanished greatness or rising powers in all climes, in all lands, in all ages, through sunshine and sorrow, the children of Erin have clung to the faith, and have perpetuated the glories of that well earned title, the "Isle of Saints and Martyrs." Yes brethren, if the idea of glory involves sacrifice, privation, humiliation and death for a great principle or for a great cause, then faith is Ireland's glory. And as a nation's true glory is proportionate to the extent and completeness of the sacrifice for principle, so Ireland's glory surpasses them all.

For three hundred years Ireland fought the Danes. For three hundred more she engaged in a terrible struggle in which the whole strength of earth's mightiest people was put forth against her—a struggle fought out on a thousand battlefields, which deluged Ireland with the best blood of her children, and reduced her best provinces, over and over again to the condition of waste and desolate island. And why did they suffer thus? For something they had never seen. They never saw Christ in the blessed Eucharist because he was hidden from them under the sacramental veils of bread and wine; they never saw the mother of the God of heaven; they never saw the angels and saints of heaven; they never saw the Saviour upon the cross; and yet for that Christ on the cross, for the Saviour in the tabernacle, and for the mother of purity in Heaven, and for the angels and saints they shed their life's blood for those six hundred years.

Yes, Ireland's faith is Ireland's glory, the children of St. Patrick having dearly purchased the gift upon them.

IRISH MISSIONARY WORK.

Ireland suffers, is the salvation of the world, for even yet does the exile bear the faith to distant lands. In fact the greatest service which Ireland has rendered to her own dear country is the propagation of the Catholic faith the firm establishment of the Catholic faith within its borders. It matters not what physical devices or political knaves may say to the contrary, truth is the most durable foundation of freedom, and the Catholic church is the pillar and ground of truth. Labor is profitable, valor is powerful, genius is glorious, education is one of the mightiest influences that effect or control the destinies of mankind; but truth is greater than any of these characteristics of a free and flourishing nation. Faith ennobles labor, consecrates valor, gives its rubbed in addition to genius, and hallows and purifies education. Such is the miraculous power of Catholic faith and this is Ireland's greatest gift to the United States. True, the church in this country is not the work of the Irish alone, but I am sure that the faithful sons of St. Patrick have done more in making that church what it is than all other nations collectively. The majestic temples of worship which they have erected, the magnificent charitable institutions which they have founded, the net work of convents, colleges and schools, these are a striking evidence of that sturdy abiding faith so deeply embedded in the heart of hearts of every man, woman and child through whose veins courses the Celtic blood.

DEFEND THE FAITH.

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Chief Marshal O'Sullivan has made arrangements to have lunch served to all the paraders immediately after the dismissal of the procession this afternoon. The marshals of the different organizations have been notified by Daniel B. O'Brien, to whom the chief marshal assigned charge of this matter, the places where each society will make its headquarters.

The chief marshal will banquet his staff and guests at the Waverly Hotel at 7 o'clock this evening. After the banquet there will be speaking.

The state militia of this state and New Hampshire will lunch at the state armory.

The Irish companies of the Irish Volunteer regiment will march to the hall of the Wolf Tone Guards in Market street and after luncheon is served there will be a social session.

The C. M. I. Cadets will be served in the hall of the Immaculate Conception school and the Holy Name societies of the Sacred Heart and St. Patrick's parishes with the Sacred Heart sodality of St. Patrick's school will repair to the school hall in Suffolk street.

Provision has been made for the Portuguese Benefit society at the Leather Workers' hall in Central street.

The quarters of the Burke Temperance Institute will be in the banquet hall of the Knights of Columbus in Associate hall, and the C. Y. M. L. with the Young Men of Lawrence will march to the former's hall in Suffolk street at the conclusion of the parade.

The hall in the Harrington building in Central street has been secured for the Ladies' Auxiliaries, A. O. H., of Lowell and Lawrence.

In the assignment of the different out-of-town Hibernian divisions the chief marshal has arranged to have at least one local division of the A. O. H. in each hall. Divisions 1 and 2 will see that the Hibernian Rifles of Lawrence, the Emmet Rifles of Manchester, and the Hibernians from Manchester are well taken care of in Foresters hall.

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THE DAY WE CELEBRATE.

On St. Patrick's day the exiled sons of Old Erin and their descendants in every clime turn their thoughts to the mother land and ask—

"How's poor old Ireland,
Or how does she stand?"

Today the answer to this question of Napper Tandy can be answered more hopefully than at any time in the past century.

Never since Grattan by the aid of the Irish Volunteers wrested from England an independent parliament, were the hopes of Ireland more roseate or more buoyant.

At no period of her history did Ireland show greater growth or industrial and commercial development than during the existence of Grattan's parliament from 1782 till 1800, a proof that the Irish people could then govern themselves; and if then certainly they can do so now, although for a long time England's contention actually was, that the Irish could not govern themselves. She had destroyed their schools and their industries, rendering them ignorant and poor, but superadded to all this she endeavored to stigmatize them before the world as incapable of self-government, too dense, too factious, too prone to settle their troubles by a resort to force.

But history belies the charge, for at no period of her history has Ireland been without great men. England managed to get rid of many of these in Ireland either by treachery, execution, or expatriation, but soon the voice of the exiles were heard in other lands denouncing England and opposing her material and commercial interests as they do to this day.

Overlooking the battlefields of Europe on which the "Wildgeese" wreaked vengeance on England, in the western hemisphere the Irish exiles first struck a blow at the oppressor of their race by assisting the American colonies to cast off the yoke of England and to establish their independence. Some of the leaders of the revolution such as Bishop Carroll were Irishmen, while during the struggle the achievements of Captain Jack Berry, the Father of the American navy, and other brave soldiers brought lustre to the Irish race. In every struggle in which the country was involved, the Irish element of our population took its stand against England, against her commercial interests, against her influence and her territorial aggrandizement. At the present time the Americans of Irish descent alone prevent the ratification of a treaty of amity between this country and England. Such a treaty would give England immense prestige with the European nations. It would be far more serviceable to her than her treaty with Japan or her peaceful understanding with France.

But the Irish influence in this country stands in the way, and will stand in the way until England shall have done justice to Ireland, let that time be long or short. King Edward has proved himself to be something of a statesman as well as a diplomat and a man of peace. He has apparently seen the foolishness of keeping up an eternal conflict with Ireland.

In his recent speech at the opening of the present session of parliament he practically promised Ireland a measure of home rule as soon as the ministry finds it convenient to introduce such a measure.

With such a pronunciamento from the king, the lords are not likely to reject any reasonable measure of home rule. One of the reasons why the Gladstone home rule bills were rejected by the lords was, that under home rule, they thought the landlords might be unfairly treated or dispossessed. But the landlords have been practically dispossessed by British enactments and the slight remnant of them that remains will soon be forced to sell at terms prescribed in the land act.

With the landlords banished and the people in possession of the soil, Ireland is now preeminently prepared to make the best of any measure of home rule that may be granted.

The industries must be revived, the system of education must be improved; the Anglicization of Ireland must cease, and the drain upon the life blood of the nation that has passed out in the stream of emigration must also be stopped never to be renewed. The nation has been depleted of its young manhood and womanhood. From 8,500,000 in 1847 the population has fallen to less than half that number under the benign influence of British sway. Therefore, in celebrating Ireland's national holiday this year, her exiled sons can rejoice in the bright outlook that places almost within grasp of the Irish people the charter of their liberties for which they fought as long as they were physically able to fight, and for which O'Connell inaugurated a peaceful system of warfare that shook the foundation of the British empire. O'Connell made Parnell possible and his grand work having been left incomplete, his mantle fell upon the shoulders of John Redmond, the present Irish leader who in all probability may be called upon to open the Irish parliament in College Green, Dublin, with in the next two years. On that day, whether soon or late, the salute of "Erin Go Bragh" will ring around the earth among the scattered children of the Gael, hailing her upon her glorious triumph after a struggle of 800 years while many will apostrophize her on her new investiture of nationality as did Grattan on a similar occasion—"Esto Perpetua!"

STATE SUPERVISION.

The movement to put all telephone and telegraph companies under state supervision is justified by the fact that these companies constitute the only exceptions to the general rule. All the other companies are under control of the state. Why should these be exempt?

THE IRISH SOLDIER

THE IRISH SOLDIER TO COLUMBIA.

Address to Columbia on St. Patrick's Morning

(By Michael Scanlan.)

Columbia, gra, just bear awhile
With a soldier of the rank and file,
A stepson from the Emerald Isle,
Your uniform adorning.
Who comes his poor respects to pay,
In the good, old democratic way,
To wish you, on St. Patrick's day,
The very crame of the morning;
And ask you, Ma'am, if you would wear
Amid the glory of your hair,
Right in that nest of Cupid's there,
This emblem of his sheland!
Fed by soft winds and rarest dew,
Wept down from skies of sofest blue,
This little sprig of Shamrock grew
Near the very heart of Ireland!

You now have royal beaus, aroon,
Who dash about you, late and soon,
Like stars about the summer moon
Outrivaled by your glory.
But in the days when you were young,
And slouth hounds on your traces hung,
And royal lovers gave them tongue,
'Twas then a different story;
But in those dark and bloody days,
Old Ireland rose beyond the says
And backed your throne-upsetting ways,
In the face of rack and prison,
And gave you all she had, asthore,
Strong arms, true hearts and love galore,
And cheered you from her sea-beat shore
Till all your stars had risen.

When you had sprung from war's alarms,
Jack Barry took you in his arms,
And smiled to see your budding charms,
On a cold St. Patrick's morning.
He wrapped you in the flag and said:
"When thrones are mouldered, empires dead,
Amid the stars she'll hold her head,
Their petty kingdoms scorning!"
Montgomery was standing near
And on your pleased and listening ear
Rang Dragoon Moylan's charging cheer;
While the Shamrock was adorning
That curl-crowned head and brow of thine,
Along the Continental line,
That cheer was passed with nine times nine,
On that St. Patrick's morning.

You may forget those misty things,
Which time has shaded with his wings,
And yet they are the living springs
Of all your fame and glory;
When Jackson fought at New Orleans,
And by his side the Jaspar Greens,
You were a maiden in your teens,
And can't forget the story—
Your olden foe had come once more,
To trail you, as in days before;
You met him on the sounding shore
And dared the haughty foeman!
Then Jackson shook your banner free
And swore, "By the Eternal, she
Shall hold her course o'er land and sea,
and sea,
Nor cringe, nor stoop to no man!"

And in your fullest womanhood,
Sure, Ireland's sons about you stood,
And freely poured their hottest blood
For you, their second mother;
Where'er along the battle tide
One of your own boys fought and died,
An Irishman was by his side,
Like brother unto brother—
Tho' sundered in the plodding mart,
You cannot tell their graves apart,
Two in race, but one in heart
For God and godlike freedom!
Whene'er the dread occasion comes,
And war should lower above your homes,
Lo, at the rattle of your drums,
They're ready when you need 'em!

Your cheeks like reddest roses blow,
Your eyes with fires of freedom glow,
Your bosom, chaster than the snow;
Can dare the world's inspection;
In looks, in acts, in pride, in mein,
You seem like nature's freeborn queen—
Darlin', a little bit of green
Would suit your fine complexion;
By tears bedewed, by martyrs blest,
'Twas borne in many a gallant crest,
'Twas worn on many a queenly breast,
And decked their golden tresses;
And he who to this emblem's true
Can ne'er be false, agra, to you,
Till the emerald fields wherein it grew
Are turned to wildernesses!

Just bend your regal head awhile!—
No wonder, darlin' that you smile,
A soldier of the rank and file
Has mighty awkward fingers
About the head of 'wildering curls,
But faith as true as lord's or earl's,
And heart as gentle as a girl's;
Don't blame him if he lingers
About your wealth of sunbright hair,
To set old Ireland's Shamrock there,—
May blackest sorrow be his share
Who would the twain dissever!
Now raise your head to all men's view,
Columbia, while I drink to you,
"The green, the red, the white and blue
Forever and forever!"

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EXILE'S FAREWELL

TO ERIN ON LEAVING HIS NATIVE LAND FOR AMERICA.

(By E. J. G. Written 1881.)

Adieu! Adieu! my native land,
Fresh gloom is gath'ring o'er thee.
I, too, must flee oppression's hand,
But yet I'll still adore thee.

Tho' tyrants now possess thy plains
And tax thy mountains hoary,
'Tis hard to leave thee bound in chains,
Cast down from all thy glory.

But better go than linger here
Supporting tyrants cruel,
Where millions toil from year to year
For barely food and fuel.

Where landlords claim the peasants' toil
And from his home evict him,
And drive him from his native soil
Despite what ills afflict him.

Oh, Erin! Erin! fare thee well.
And mountain, lake and river,
Fond scenes I've only loved too well
To part with now forever.

Afar beyond the blue sea's foam,
Wherever thy seas may wander,
We'll ever fondly call thee home
And still of thee grow fonder.

My bark is moored within the bay
And wintry seas before me,
But more I dread their fate that stay,
Aged parents to deplore me.

One ray of joy shall ne'er be mine
In foreign lands, oh never,
Never till freedom's light doth shine
To beam on Erin ever.

And oh! how proudly would I die
In breaking Erin's fetters
To blaze her name on Freedom's sky
In fame's immortal letters—

To fall among the victors slain,
The green flag o'er me flying,
I'd lead a life of grief and pain
For such a moment's dying.

BROCKTON LOST

Hard Hitting by Higgins and Hart

WON VICTORY FOR LOWELL

Fast and Furious Front a Feature

Lowell defeated Brockton by a score of 7 to 3 in a close and exciting contest at the Rollaway rink in Hurd street last night. The playing throughout was lively and despite the fact that Lowell scored more than double the goals that Brockton did the game was well contested and the visiting players put up a good exhibition.

Out of respect to "Peon" Gavitt, of the Lawrence team, who died early yesterday morning the players on both teams wore small pieces of black crepe on the left sleeves of their jerseys.

There were three well-known faces in the Shoe City lineup, Charles Fitzgerald, who played in several teams during the two season polo was here; Phil Jason, who was last seen in the Lawrence lineup, and Pete Woods, who played half back for Worcester. Rushing with Jason was Dawson, who has played in several leagues and Weimert at goal.

The clever work of "Kid" Higgins assisted materially in Lowell's victory, for despite the fact that he is seen at his best in a large rink, where he has opportunity to do some fast skating, his spurts of speed were numerous and his handling of the ball worthy of the meritorious applause which he received from the enthusiasts. He had little or no difficulty in reaching the spot ahead of Jason, the latter player winning but one of the rushes.

Hart scored three of the goals and with the exception of one or two occasions managed to make good on all passes received. Bill Miller did very effective work and besides caging the ball once he proved a stumbling block to the visiting rushers. He was invariably in the way of the ball when it was driven and spoiled many drives which might have resulted in scores.

Carrigan played a clever blocking game and Harper, in front of the Lowell cage, received much applause for his good work.

For the visitors Jason, Fitzgerald and Weimert did good work, though Peter Woods played a clever blocking game, but Dawson's playing seemed to be the weak point.

The game was very strenuous and the visitors were inclined to rough it, but the local quintet demonstrated the fact that they could also take a hand in roughing it.

Lowell's victory was due mainly to the clever team work which seemed to puzzle the visitors.

Higgins won the first rush and passed the ball to Hart, who tried to entangle the ball in the drapery of Brockton's cage, but Weimert's skin pads sent it out of danger. Despite the fact that Lowell did some clever team work the drives were ineffective, while on the other hand Harper was kept busy covering his cage. A scrimmage in one of the corners between Jason and Miller resulted in the referee calling a foul on the Lowell man. Shortly after this a scrimmage in front of the Brockton cage gave Hart an opportunity to place the red sphere for the first goal. Thirty seconds later Higgins brought the ball down the floor and after making a couple of false passes and climbing over Pete Woods' big feet he sent the ball into the cage.

Several minutes after Higgins scored Miller caged the ball, having left his position at centre in order to keep the ball away from Dawson. Shortly after this Miller performed some clever work in worrying Jason. Jason had several fine opportunities to drive for the Lowell cage, but Miller was in the way every time.

The fourth goal made was due to the clever work of Higgins, who after giving an exhibition of jugling down the floor, which bordered on the sensational, he sent the ball by Weimert. With the score four to nothing it looked like a walkover for the local five, but Jason got into the running and after making two unsuccessful attempts to get the ball by Harper succeeded in scoring the first goal for his team. Three minutes later he made the second goal on a pass from Dawson.

Score—Lowell 4, Brockton 2.

There was but one goal made during the second period and Hart carried off the honors after receiving the ball from Miller. The first part of this period the playing was very lively and the ball was frequently driven very high. A foul was called off Hart during the early part of the period. Jason drove the ball and Hart caught it as it struck his chest and instead of dropping it continued to carry it down the rink. On one occasion Jason had what looked to be a sure goal, but Harper jumped outside the goal circle and stopped the ball, but his jump was such a long one that he lost his balance and went to the floor. He regained his feet, however, before a second drive could be made.

Score—Lowell 5, Brockton 2.

Lowell scored two goals and Brockton one in the last period. Less than two minutes after the period started Higgins fed the ball to Hart and "Bob" scored. Six minutes later Higgins brought the ball down the floor and despite the fact that Jason, Fitzgerald and Woods tried to stop him he fooled all three and on the second drive at Weimert caged the ball. Just before the close of the game Fitzerald sent the ball into the netting from the corner of the cage.

Score—Lowell 7, Brockton 3.

Lineup and summary:

LOWELL—7		3—BROCKTON
Higgins	r	r Jason
Hart	r	r Dawson
Miller	c	c Fitzgerald
Carrigan	hb	hb Woods
Harper	g	g Weimert

Won by	Caged by	Time
Lowell	Hart	4.20
Lowell	Higgins	.33
Lowell	Miller	2.40
Lowell	Higgins	2.00
Brockton	Jason	1.25
Brockton	Jason	3.06
	LIMIT	
Lowell	Hart	3.25
	LIMIT	
Lowell	Hart	1.40
Lowell	Higgins	5.50
Brockton	Fitzgerald	6.45

Score—Lowell 7, Brockton 3; rushes—Higgins 12, Jason 1; stops—Harper 29, Weimert 37; fouls—Miller and Hart; referee—James McGrath; attendance—700.

In the death of Edmond H. Gavitt better known as "Peon," who has played polo in the east and west, polodom loses one of its best players. The deceased was well known and very popular, both among the players and the public at large. He was a hard working player, being loyal to the team to which he belonged and did much in order to make polo a success.

The next Lowell game will be Tuesday night when "Nick" McGlivary and his Haverhillites come to Lowell. Joe Fox's Lynn team will be here on Friday.

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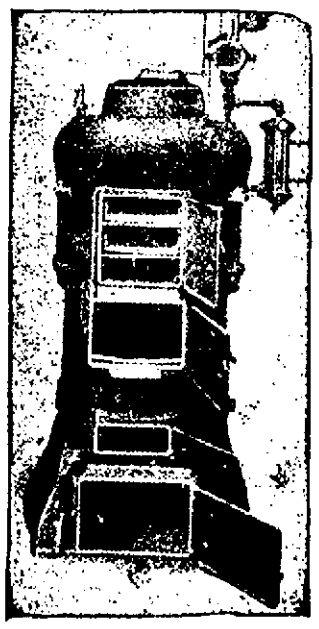

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HOME RULE CERTAIN

Progress Made Since '79 Makes Goal Inevitable

JOHN O'CALLAGHAN, NATIONAL SECRETARY OF UNITED IRISH LEAGUE.

Sec'y O'Callaghan of the United Irish League Reviews the Outlook for Home Rule—What Has Been Accomplished by Parliamentary Agitation

This St. Patrick's day finds the Irish cause with brighter prospects than have been apparent for 20 years at least, and the Irish people more confident of ultimate success in their struggle for the rights of a nation than they have been at any period in the past. It is a matter of gratification to every son and daughter of the race, no matter in what part of the world they may be found, that the old cause for which generation after generation has struggled unceasingly, today seems more certain of success than could have seemed possible even five years ago.

The developments of the past few months have placed the ultimate success of the Irish movement for self-government beyond question. What had been described as the most powerful government England has witnessed since the reform bill on 1832 has been destroyed absolutely by Irish votes and only a remnant of it is left to oppose the expressed will of the Irish people in the democracy of Britain. Five years ago there was a majority of 135 in opposition to home rule for Ireland; the same British legislature recently, by a majority of 318 declared absolutely and without equivocation against a tory amendment to the address in opposition to home rule for Ireland.

This change is not accidental. It is the outcome of certain causes which have been operating for three or four years past and the outcome of which was assured when the time was ripe for it. The very first division of the present session of parliament plainly showed that on whatever other question the liberal party may be divided, it can command a controlling majority on the Irish question in favor of doing justice to Ireland.

This result is due in the first place to the splendid discipline and union of the Irish party itself, and the fearless, able, cool and determined leadership of John E. Redmond, without question one of the greatest European statesmen of today. As a tactical leader of a political party, he has no equal in English or Irish politics, and it is doubtful if he has any rival in the European political field. The Irish party has never at any period in the past been more completely united or more determined on insisting that Ireland shall secure her just rights, while the Irish people themselves are a unit, not alone in Ireland but in England, the United States, Canada, Australia, and everywhere else throughout the world in supporting and sustaining that party.

The outspoken declaration of the new chief secretary for Ireland, Professor Bryce, in the initial debate of the present parliament, in which he declared that home rule had no terrors for him; that he was a home ruler even more than Gladstone was, and that he would not retract nor alter a single statement he had ever uttered in favor of the right of the Irish people to rule themselves, places the issue once again in the forefront of British politics, where it will remain until it is settled.

It would, perhaps, be too much to expect that it can be dealt with in the present session of parliament, which will be of comparatively brief duration. Because it will not be possible for the government to tackle anything of a legislative character beyond the budget and the necessary appropriations, probably before the middle of June, which would be wholly insufficient in which to pass any large measure of self-government for Ireland, so that it will undoubtedly be deferred until next year.

It is premature in the interval to even discuss what the provisions of such a measure are likely to be, but one thing is at least apparent and thoroughly understood. Mr. John Redmond declared in the debate on the address that nothing short of complete self government will ever satisfy the Irish people. It may be that such a measure cannot be passed at one effort, but there is little doubt that the intention of the new premier is to give such a large instalment of self-government in the first place as will make the granting of the balance which would make it complete, a matter of comparatively little difficulty, in the course of a very few years. Irishmen, of course, would prefer, if it could be accomplished, that a complete measure of self-government should be passed at one stroke, but there is the danger of the opposition of the house of lords to be met with before that can be accomplished. The lords, on the other hand, with the signs of the times pointing to a more complete democratic upheaval in England at the next general election, than even there was in the one just concluded, will go very slow in antagonizing any measure enlarging the scope of self-government in Ireland which falls at all short of a complete home rule measure. In that way a generous measure of home rule could undoubtedly be passed through both houses of parliament without another appeal to the country and after another general election it will certainly be enlarged so as to embrace complete home rule. So that the dividing of the question in this way is likely to work out ultimately for Ireland's benefit, and undoubtedly make the passage of a home rule measure easier.

There are active forces too, at work in Ireland at the present time which have never been counted on the Irish side before. The Irish Reform association, composed wholly of members of the Tory and landlord class, is working on its own lines in the direction of an extension of self-government, while it does not openly declare itself as favorable to what nationalists know as home rule. The Ulster Orange antagonists of home rule, too, are for the first time divided on the question and the Orange democracy is rapidly throwing in its lot with the nationalists of the rest of the country in favor of the more tolerant and broader methods of government.

All these things are having a tremendous effect in weakening the opposition which still exists in the small northeastern corner of Ireland to home rule and to a corresponding extent is affecting the English democracy which is not disposed to pay very generous attention to the arrogant claims of the Orange dead heads, which have hitherto stood in the way of winning Irish national self-government. That factor will be a constantly diminishing one in force and it will only be a very few years until it will be practically disposed of altogether.

Asked as to the progress made by parliamentary action of the Irish party since 1879 Mr. John O'Callaghan, secretary of the United Irish League of America, summarized the various measures as follows:

What has Ireland gained, in financial benefits alone, as a result of the agitation of the past 25 years? In round figures very nearly a billion dollars. Here are the results in detail:

The recent victories of Joseph Devlin, M. P., in West Belfast, where he won the seat for the nationalists from the tories who had held it for 20 years, in North Tyrone and other constituencies show the trend of thought among the Orange democracy and is most powerful for the immediate future of the Irish cause.

It is of course apparent to any student of the question that all these changes have come about as the direct result of the persistent, thoughtful, statesmanlike, and courageous campaign mapped out and carried on by John E. Redmond and his colleagues of the Irish party, whose keen judgment has been fully justified by the events.

There is no question that even during the present session of parliament large and administrative reforms which do not need legislative enactment to permit their being carried out will take place in Ireland, or what is known as "Dublin Castle Government." Already the coercion act has been suspended over three-fourths of the country over which it was in force for the past three years. The landed estates commissioners have been given extended powers in dealing with the land purchase scheme under which already more than one-third of the land of Ireland has passed in two and one-half years from the hands of the landlords into those of the tenants.

Chief Secretary Bryce has declared his intention not alone of restoring the grant which the tory government had withdrawn for the teaching of Gaelic, and which amounted to about $60,000 a year, but intends to go very much farther in the extension of the facilities for teaching the Gaelic tongue.

These are among the first fruits of the change of government which the Irish party had been able to win, and they are undoubtedly only a forerunner of greater ones in the very near future, and finally within a very few hours of national self-government itself.

The splendid work which Mr. Redmond and his party have done entitle them not alone to the thanks of the Irish people in Ireland and outside of it, but to the gratitude of the Irish race in every land on earth. For the higher the position of the Irish race is made at home, the greater the credit that will be reflected on the race abroad wherever it may be placed.

This St. Patrick's day, therefore, is one the spirit of which Irishmen the world over will join in with enthusiasm and confidence. It portends the dawn which is about to light up the Irish landscape and which before many other anniversaries of Ireland's patron saint have come around, will have burst into the full noonday of freedom.

JOHN O'CALLAGHAN,
National Secretary United Irish League of America.

THE IRISH PARTY

AND WHAT IT HAS ACCOMPLISHED SINCE 1897.

When asked to state the result of parliamentary agitation since 1897 Mr. O'Callaghan submitted the following statistics:

Results of parliamentary agitation—1879-1906:

Land act, 1881, reduced Irish rents by	$ 10,237,375
Land purchase acts, 1885-98 (advanced for purchase of land by tenants)	50,000,000
Land purchase act, 1891, (advanced for purchase of land by tenants)	150,000,000
Light railways act, 1889	5,000,000
Arrears of rent act, 1882 (wiped out completely)	10,000,000
Laborers' act, 1883, for building laborers' cottages	10,000,000
Annually (for same since 1883) $600,000	13,200,000
Migration act, 1891, transferring tenants to richer lands	5,000,000
Agricultural act, 1899, improving agriculture	1,000,000
Annually (for same purpose since 1898), $320,000	5,000,000
Land act, 1903, amount to be advanced (estimated)	60,000,000
Bonus under land act, 1903 (without repayment)	50,000,000
Total	$263,537,375

CONVENTION DEMANDS CONCEDED.

Here are the demands of the Boston convention of 1903 at which Mr. William Redmond attended as Parnell's representative, with the result of the agitation for their passage since. They are given chronologically, as they were embodied in the platform by the convention.

First National self government.

Second Local law reform. (Since carried in 1887, 1892 and 1903.)

Third Land self government. (Since carried, in 1903.)

Fourth Extension of the Parliamentary and municipal franchise. (Since carried, in 1885.)

Fifth Development and encouragement of the labor and industrial interests of Ireland. (Since carried, in 1898 and 1903.)

Sixth The creation of an occupying ownership or peasant proprietary. (Since carried, in 1887 and 1903.)

Seventh Compulsory transfer to public bodies of uncultivated land for re sale or letting to small farmers or laborers (Carried by the appointment of the congested districts board, and the passage of the land act of 1903.)

Eighth The admission of leaseholders to the land act benefits. (Since carried, in 1887 and 1903.)

Ninth The creation of county boards and the transfer thereto of the fiscal and administrative powers of grand juries. (Carried in local government act of 1898.)

Tenth The transfer to county boards of the management of workhouses, asylums, etc., supported by local rates. (Carried in local government act of 1898.)

Eleventh The providing of laborers' cottages with half-acre allotments of land. (Carried since, and allotment increased to an acre in 1903.)

Twelfth To obtain scientific reports of the industrial capacities of the various districts, and stimulate the establishment of local manufacturing and cottage industries. (Carried, by provision in agricultural act of 1899.)

LAND PURCHASE ACT.

The number of tenant purchasers under the land act up to Nov. 1, 1905, was 70,000 and there would have been a great many more, but for the unfriendly construction placed upon the act by the authorities of Dublin Castle. Now, however, that the policy of Dublin Castle has been changed and that a government pledged to home rule and other reforms is in power the land act will speedily be perfected so as to effect the complete transfer of the land of Ireland to the people of Ireland as soon as possible. The highest instalments to be paid in the purchase of farms is from 2½ to 3½ per cent, less than the rent paid before the purchase.

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TEWKSBURY, Mass., March 9, 1906. The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate situated in the town of Tewksbury, in the county of Middlesex and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the list committed to me as collector of taxes for said town, by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the smallest undivided part of said land sufficient to satisfy said taxes, with interest and all legal costs and charges on the whole of said land, if no person offers to take an undivided part thereof, will be offered for sale by public auction at the town hall in said town on March 27th, 1906, at 9 o'clock p. m., for the payment of said taxes, with interest, costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

No. 1. Hosley, William H. Lot No. 6, situated on the north side of Roper street, Wheelwright, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1901 $13.11.

No. 2. Christman, Joseph. Lot No. 81 and one-half of lot No. 81 containing 7915 8-10 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, situated on Acton street, Riverside Park plan.
Also Lot No. 86, containing 3831 square feet, more or less, with the buildings thereon, situated on Acton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1899 $11.49.
Tax for 1900 $10.87.
Tax for 1901 $1.04.

No. 3. Cogswell, Amos Heirs and lot on the west side of Paxton street on the corner of a proposed new street in Wheelwright, Tewksbury, now owned by Henry Spencer.
Tax for 1898, $12.67.

No. 4. Callahan, James. Lot No. 15 in "Plan of Articles Plan of land sale," containing 5 acres, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being the land formerly owned by Pliny W. Caldwell.
Also house, barn and homestead of eight acres, more or less, situated in west part of Tewksbury.
Tax for 1899, $7.69.
Tax for 1900, $7.69.
Tax for 1901, $7.87.

No. 5. Dumont, Pierre. Lot No. 215, containing 3119 square feet of land, more or less.
Lot No. 216, containing 3058 square feet of land, more or less.
Lot No. 217, containing 2926 square feet of land, more or less.
Lot No. 218, containing 2961 square feet of land, more or less.
Lot No. 219, containing 2903 square feet of land, more or less.
Situated in Riverside Park, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1897, $3.75.
Tax for 1898, $11.38.
Tax for 1899, $14.17.
Tax for 1900, $18.40.
Tax for 1901, $17.25.

No. 9. Dudley, Darwin E. 13,172 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 18 on plan of land entitled "Plan of the Whipple Estate," situated on Andover street and East Merrimack street, North Tewksbury.
Tax for 1900, $16.80.

No. 10. Doucey, John. 5094 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 14 on "Plan of the John Allen Estate," situated on Atherton avenue and Allen street, North Tewksbury.
Tax for 1900, $4.00.

No. 11. Flynn, John. 3218 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lots No. 19 and No. 20, situated on Lawrence street, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1901, $5.25.

No. 12. Guay, Peter, Helen of. 6 (six) acres of land more or less with the buildings thereon, situated on Billerica street and Salem street, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1898, $42.58.
Tax for 1899, $52.81.
Tax for 1900, $56.00.
Tax for 1901, $52.60.

No. 13. Gregoire, Joseph. 3542 sq. feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 265, situated on Denton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1900, $20.00.
Tax for 1901, $18.75.

No. 14. Hamlin, Hector. 2982 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 101 on Riverside Park plan.
Also 5000 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lots Nos. 191 and 192, situated on Bolton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898, $8.46.
Tax for 1899, $10.53.
Tax for 1900, $8.00.
Tax for 1901, $7.50.

No. 16. Lee, Joseph. No. 39 Epping street, on the northerly side, with the buildings thereon, situated in Wheelwright, being part of the Olive M. Whipple estate.
Tax for 1901, $37.88.

No. 17. Marston, John H. 8 acres of land more or less with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of Tewksbury near Long Pond, so called, on Whipple road.
Tax for 1897, $4.88.
Tax for 1898, $4.88.
Tax for 1899, $6.07.
Tax for 1901, $5.03.

No. 18. Marchand, Celinare. 18,711 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lots Nos. 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 181. Lots Nos. 234, 235, 236, 237, 238 each containing 2500 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon. Lot No. 239 containing 2774 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon. Lot No. 181 containing 3437 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon. All of said lots being situated on Clifton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898, $14.30.
Tax for 1899, $17.82.
Tax for 1900, $14.40.
Tax for 1901, $13.50.

No. 19. Maille, Flavian—Lots Nos. 223 and 224 each containing 2500 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, said lots being situated on Clifton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898, $12.35.
Tax for 1899, $15.23.
Tax for 1900, $14.40.
Tax for 1901, $13.50.

No. 20. McEachran, Dugald—2606 square feet of land, more or less, with buildings thereon, being lot No. 177. Also 2618 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 178, said lots being situated on Bolton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1899 $7.29.
Tax for 1900 $7.29.
Tax for 1901 $3.75.

No. 21. Roach, Simon—25 39-100 acres of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon situated on the road leading from Tewksbury Centre to Lowell, being estate of Zeb Rogers.
Tax for 1898, $11.58.
Tax for 1899, $11.74.
Tax for 1900, $7.20.
Tax for 1901, $4.03.

No. 22. Rodrique, Alfred. 3878 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 412. Also 4168 square feet of land more or less with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 465.
Also 4297 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon being lot No. 413, said three lots being situated on Felton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898 $15.18.
Tax for 1899 $19.49.
Tax for 1901 $5.75.

No. 23. Sullivan, Michael. 13501 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lots No. 1 and No. 2 on Billerica st., Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1901, $3.00.

No. 24. Seddon, John. 24 acres of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, situated in the northwest part of Tewksbury, on the south side of a cross road leading from the main road from Lowell to Tewksbury Centre to the Whipple road.
Tax for 1897 $5.20.
Tax for 1898 $5.85.
Tax for 1899 $7.28.
Tax for 1900 $7.20.
Tax for 1901 $6.75.

No. 25. Savageau, Emile—Lots No. 128 and No. 129, each containing 2700 square feet more or less, with the buildings thereon, said lots being on Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898, $7.15.
Tax for 1899, $10.12.
Tax for 1900, $10.00.
Tax for 1901, $7.37.

No. 26. Supernant, Casimer—2250 square feet, more or less, of land with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 87. Also 2901 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 88, both of said lots being situated on Acton street, Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1898 $7.48.
Tax for 1899 $10.53.
Tax for 1900 $10.64.
Tax for 1901 $9.37.

No. 27. Black, John—4433 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 5 situated on the south side of Atherton ave. Also 19,782 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon comprising lots Nos. 9-10-17-18-19, situated on the easterly side of Atherton ave., No. Tewksbury, being part of the John Allen estate in Tewksbury.
Tax for 1898, $4.57.
Tax for 1899, $5.67.
Tax for 1900, $2.40.
Tax for 1901, $2.63.

No. 28. Beaulieu, Joseph—4557 64-100 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon being lot No. 5 situated on Warwick st., Tewksbury.
Tax for 1900, $14.00.

No. 29. Hanford, Luther—9600 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon being lot No. 60 on South side of Billerica st., Riverside Park plan.
Tax for 1901, $6.00.

No. 30. Wheelock, A. C.—40 acres, 71 square rods of land, more or less, being the Kittredge land so-called, situated on Billerica st., No. Lowell, Tewksbury. Also 2041 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 110. Also 2763 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 411. Said two lots being situated on Billerica st., Riverside Park plan, Tewksbury. Also 2934 square feet of land more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 285. Also 2274 square feet of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, being lot No. 286. Said two lots being situated on Billerica st., Riverside Park plan, Tewksbury. Also lot No. 17 containing 4128 8-10 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 18, containing 3200 square feet of land more or less; lot No. 21, containing 2806 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 22, containing 2277 20-100 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 23, containing 2200 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 24, 2773 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 29, 4267 4-10 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 30, 4404 25-100 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 25, 3243 6-10 square feet of land, more or less; lot No. 26, 3139 6-10 square feet of land more or less. All of the aforesaid lots with the buildings thereon, being part of the Frye estate and situated on the west side of Lawrence st., Riverside Park plan, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1899, $78.41.
Tax for 1900, $76.00.
Tax for 1901, $186.00.

No. 31. Williamson, Wm. E.—2730 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 14; 2785 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 15; 2730 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 16; 2775 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 17; 2770 square feet of land, more or less, being lot No. 18. All of the aforesaid lots with the buildings thereon being situated on Almont ave., So. Lowell, Tewksbury.
Tax for 1897, $13.98.
Tax for 1898, $14.06.
Tax for 1899, $13.63.

No. 32. Whitely, Samuel—½ acre of land, more or less, with the buildings thereon, situated on Pleasant st., Tewksbury Centre.
Tax for 1901, $13.87.

A. ERNEST CLARK,
Collector of Taxes.

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ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Continued.

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ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS

The Ancient Order of Hibernians made a grand turnout, about 1200 appearing in the five local divisions and a much larger number in the divisions from out of town. The Hibernians never made such a fine appearance in line, never wore nattier regalia, never turned out in such full ranks. The leaders of this organization, the division marshals and officers might well feel proud of the prominent and creditable part taken by the order in today's celebration.

THE MILITARY COMPANIES.

Of course the military companies in parade take the palm so far as marching is concerned and in this case their military bearing, measured tread and finely executed movements were everywhere admired and applauded.

IRISH VOLUNTEERS

The Fifth Regiment of the Irish Volunteers made an excellent showing in the parade. The men showed the result of careful training and their marching was well nigh perfect. Under the command of Major Graham of Methuen the companies kept fine alignment and were cheered along the route of parade. Major Graham rode a fine black charger which he sent to this city from Lawrence yesterday afternoon, and his staff was well mounted and presented a fine appearance.

THE FLOATS.

A notable feature of the day was the prize floats, one of which represented the thirty-two counties of Ireland, the Goddess of Liberty and crowned queen of Erin. The young ladies personating the two leading characters and the counties were members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., of which Miss Della Conway, one of the brightest girls of Lowell, is president. The same society had other attractive floats in line.

The float of the United Irish league portrayed a scene that touches every Irish heart. When Emmet stood in the dock and made his last speech, he requested that his epitaph should not be written until Ireland shall have taken her place among the nations of the earth. The float entitled "Ireland's Hope" shows the sunburst of Erin, and represents the Goddess of Liberty proclaiming that the time has come to write the epitaph of Emmet.

Then there is a representation of a grass covered grave with a tombstone on which the queen of Erin is inscribing Emmet's epitaph. In the rear are two Irish bards in the ancient costume waking the harp to paeans of joy after it slumbered for centuries or vibrated only to the threnodies of the nation's woe.

AWAITING THE SIGNAL GUN.

From noon till the time for starting the parade was a period of suspense. Many of the companies stood in readiness to move, only awaiting the boom of the cannon that was the signal for starting the great procession. During this period also the crowd along the streets became greater and pressed more closely on the companies while long before the signal gun was fired a solid wall of humanity lined the route on both sides, men, women and children by tens of thousands waiting patiently in the cold to get a view of the greatest parade of the kind in the history of Lowell.

FORMATION OF PARADE

The formation of the parade was as follows.

Platoon of Police
Deputy Redmond Welch in Command
Lynn Brass Band.

Chief Marshal Humphrey O'Sullivan and Staff; Fred H. Rourke, chief of staff, John J. O'Connell, adjutant, Rev. James Gilday, chaplain, Dr. Frank O'Sullivan, surgeon, Lieut. Thomas J. O'Donnell, chief aid.

Carriages containing clergymen, invited guests, oldest Hibernian in America, and the press.

Aids John P. Curley, John Kelley, John Collins, Henry Watson, J. H. Carroll, John Linehan, Frank O'Neil, J. Mullen, D. A. Reardon, J. F. Quinn, G. P. Greene, Philip Holland, Lawrence Mass.; P. T. McMahon, W. S. Grady, Thomas Donohue, P. F. Welch, J. F. Rogers, R. A. Cullinane, J. T. Sparks, William Nelligan, John Barrett, James Freeman, Anthony Conway, Timothy Reagan, Hugh Dugan, John Brady, Dennis Lucan, J. Munn Andrews, George Enright, Thomas Mahoney, Ed. Mooney, Ed Lavery, Edward Gallagher, Dr. Porter, Harry Noyes, Dr. J. H. Sparks, James McManiman, Michael Reynolds, James McDonald, Dr. Smith, Patrick O'Hearn, Major Cordes, Charles Hanson, Dr. Lawler, James Gray, Edward Twohey,

JOHN J. BRODLEY,
Marshal of C. Y. M. L.

Richard Welch, James Spillane, Jno. R. Martin, Michael Hessian, Denis Murphy, Thomas Lawler, Patrick Conroy, M. J. Haggerty, Morris Quinn, John T. McCarron, John Dunfey, Daniel Redding, William McCluskey, John Ford, Peter Cline, Andrew Grey, William Mahoney, Lawrence, Mass.; Dominick Dimodiano, Matthew Connor, Denis O'Brien, Warren Riordan, William Cawley, William Gookin, Hon. C. F. Lynch, Lawrence, Mass.; J. F. Tansey, Charles H. Richards, Andrew Welch, James Walsh, Thomas F. Duffey, Joseph McCaffrey, Mr. H. J. Kelley, James H. Jones, John W. Daly, John Hickey, Patrick J. Clark, Jeremiah Ryan, Joseph Donovan, Esq., Lawrence, Mass.; Ralph W. Page, Cambridge, Mass.; G. Edward Buxton, Jr., Cambridge, Mass.; H. Spencer Allen, Cambridge, Mass.; Timothy Coffey, John Rourke, Cornelius Daly, James O'Brien, George F. Keefe, Cecil L. Adams, Henry L. Rourke.

DIVISION ONE.

Lowell Cadet Band, John J. Gillin, Leader.
Regiment of State Militia.
Capt. Philip McNulty of M. Company Acting Colonel; Capt. Colby T. Kittredge, inspector of the practice of the Sixth Regiment; Acting Adjutant, Acting Commissary Staff.

FIRST BATTALION.

Commanded by Capt. Kenealey of L Company of Natick; Acting Major, L. Company of Natick commanded by

MARTIN MORAN,
Marshal of Division 1, A. O. H.

Lieut. Greene, Acting Captain and Lieut. Sherwin.
M Company of Lowell Commanded by Lieut. Benj. McArdle, Acting Captain.
F Company of Lawrence—Capt. Frank Donovan; Lieuts. Foley and Bolles.
H Company of East Boston—Captain Patrick H. Sullivan, Lieuts. Edermatt and McWeeney.

SECOND BATTALION.

Captain Schmier of I Company of Concord, Acting Major.
I Company of Concord Commanded by Lieut. James H. Holman, Acting Captain; Lieut. William J. Byron.
C Company of Lowell Captain Gardner W. Pearson, Lieuts. J. Douglas River and J. Joseph Haley.
G Company of Lowell Commanded by Lieut. Pearl Durrell.
H Company of Stoneham—Capt. Duncan M. Stewart, Lieut. Arthur T. Ireland.

THIRD BATTALION.

Captain George Riordan of Manchester Acting Major.
B Company, First Infantry of Manchester, N. H. Captain Riordan.
M Company, First Infantry of Nashua, N. H.—Captain Boynton.
E Company, First Infantry of Nashua, N. H.—Captain Stanton.
I Company, First Infantry of Nashua, N. H.—Captain Sullivan.

FOURTH BATTALION.

Captain Edgar G. Holt of Lawrence, Acting Major.
L Company, Eighth Regiment of Lawrence Captain Holt.
K Company, Eighth Regiment of Somerville Captain Stearns.
E Company, Naval Reserves of Lynn—Commanded by Lieut. John H. Blood.
Breyer's Band.
Battalion of Irish Volunteers.
Major Peter Graham of Methuen, Commanding.

JOHN C. ROURKE,
President of Division 8, A. O. H.

Lieut. Kieran, Chief of Staff.
Wolf Tone Guards of Lowell Captain Patrick Fitzgerald, Lieut. Monahan.
Gratton Guards of Lawrence—Captain Patrick Lacy.
A Company of Haverhill—Captain Driscoll.
Emmetts of Lynn Captain McHugh.
E Company of Lowell—Captain Leary, Lieuts. Boyle and Daly.
Emmetts of Manchester Captain Monahan.
Battalion of O. M. I. Cadets.
Major Russell Harrington.
Adjutant Charles Sartell.
Sergt.-Major Joseph Kelley.
Quartermaster Frederick McMoon.
A Company—Captain James A. McMannon; First Lieut. James Mulleney, Second Lieut. Edward Curtin.
B Company—Captain Paul Clark; First Lieut. James Cooney; Second Lieut. Joseph Rosea.
C Company—Captain Charles Kenefick; First Lieut. Thomas Clark, Second Lieut. Frank Haggerty.
D Company—Captain George O'Connor, First Lieut. Joseph McGarvey; Second Lieut. Frank Riley.

DIVISION TWO.

Composed entirely of Hibernians of this and other cities of Massachusetts and New Hampshire.
Marshal Nicholas Soroghan.
Representatives on the marshal's staff from Div. 8, A. O. H., Lowell, Thomas Casey and Timothy Kennedy; Div. 11, A. O. H., Lowell, Hugh McNaly and John Kenney; Div. 2, A. O. H., Lowell, James Connors and John B. Chaney; Div. 28, A. O. H., Lowell, John Thompson and Peter Higgins.
Aids Messrs. Peter J. McGuinnan, Peter P. McMannon, Frank Marion, Michael McDonald, Peter Flood, Dr. Edward J. Murphy, Patrick Boland, George Keefe, Michael Rourke, Joseph H. Flynn, Thomas A'Hearn, Thomas Cuff, Hugh McGrogan, Andrew J. Roach, John J. Flanagan and Theddeus McNamara.

Band.

Hibernian Rifles of Lawrence, Maj. M. F. Ryan, C. J. Callahan, captain.

Band.

Division 1, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal Martin Moran.
Division 2, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal Thomas Lynch.
Carriage containing chaplain of Div. 2, A. O. H., Rev. J. P. Reynolds, O. M. I.

Band.

Division 1, A. O. H., of Manchester, N. H., Marshal John Shea.
Division 2, A. O. H., of Manchester, N. H., Marshal John Healey.
Division 7, A. O. H., of Manchester, N. H., Marshal P. H. O'Malley.
Division 11, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal John F. Miskella.
Division 13, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal John Cotter.

Band.

Division 1, A. O. H., of Lawrence, Marshal Richard F. Nugent.
Division 8, A. O. H., of Lawrence, Marshal Cornelius M. Casey.
Division 13, A. O. H., of Lawrence, Marshal Patrick Webb.

Band.

Division 11, A. O. H., of Haverhill, Marshal H. F. McKenna.
Division 8, A. O. H., of Lowell, Marshal Michael O'Rourke.
Division 2, A. O. H., of Nashua, N. H., Marshal John Sweeney.
Division 1, A. O. H., of Nashua, N. H., Marshal James Scanlon.
Division 7, A. O. H., of Ayer, Marshal Edward S. Dwyer.

DIVISION THREE.

Comprising members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the local Hibernians and members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Lawrence.
Float representing the 32 counties of Ireland, the Goddess of Liberty and the Queen of Erin.
United Irish League float, entitled Ireland's Hope or Erin writing Emmet's epitaph.

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Chelmsford Centre Brass Band.
Burke Temperance Institute, Marshal Frank Duggan.
Holy Name Society of the Sacred Heart Church, in Carriages.
Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's church in Carriages.
Portuguese Band of Lawrence.
St. Anthony's Portuguese Benefit Society of Lowell, Marshal Anibal Sousa.
St. Patrick's Fife and Drum Corps.
Sacred Heart Sodality of St. Patick's Church, Marshal Edward White.

ROUTE OF PARADE.

The line of march will be as follows: The procession moves at 1.30 down Broadway, to Suffolk, to Merrimack to be reviewed by the city council and

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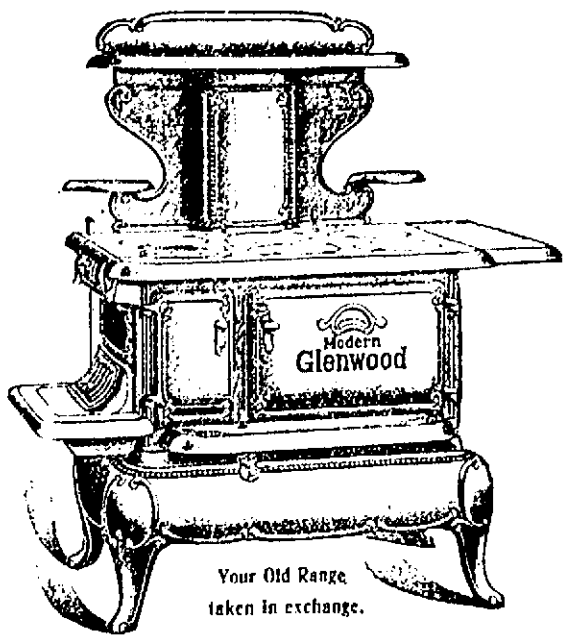
Don't Blame The Cook



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DIVISION FOUR.

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Marshal Timothy F. Rohan.
Adjutant John Keegan.
Chief Aid John J. Carroll.
Aids—Messrs. Frank J. McCarthy, Patrick Higgins, James Rooney, Frederick Welch, Thomas Fitzgerald, Thomas Maloney, John Smith, Edward O'Neil, Charles Leary, Thomas Lyons, John F. Murphy, John F. A. Sullivan.
Somerville Cornet, Fife and Drum Corps.
Catholic Young Men's Lyceum of St. Patrick's church.
Marshal John Brodley.
Aids—Frank Sullivan, William Sullivan,

MICHAEL T. O'ROURKE,
Marshal of Division 8, A. O. H.

ROLLAWAY

Concert Program
For March 17th, Band of 20 Pieces

March, Come Back to Erin.
Schottische, Pretty Girl Milking Her Cow.
Waltz, Shamrock. (New.)
Skate Step, Believe Me.
Schottische, Minstrel Boy.
Waltz, Acushla Machree.
Two Step, Killarney.
Waltz, Sweet Inniscara.
Schottische, The Harp That Once.
Waltz, St. Patrick's Day.
March, Irish Washerwoman.
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MR. GEORGE F. HAMER, Conductor
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ST. PATRICK'S DAY

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judges as they pass city hall Merrimack to Central, to Gorham to Davis square to Central to Church, to Anover, to High to Bartlett, to Fayette, to East Merrimack, to Bridge, to Sixth, Countermarch to Bridge, to Merrimack, to Monument square to be reviewed by the chief marshal and staff, and be dismissed.

JUDGES OF THE PARADE.

Col Duncan, Lawrence, Mass
Col Sullivan Manchester, N. H
Major John J. Sullivan, Boston, Mass
Major Robert J. Crowley, Lowell, Mass.
Capt. James B. Crowley, Nashua, N. H.

DECORATIONS

GREAT DISPLAY OF FLAGS AND HUNTING IN THE CITY.

The decorations throughout the city are most elaborate.

On the streets through which the parade moved about every store and house was decorated, while streets branching off from the regular route sported fine displays. The principal decorations are given below.

FLETCHER STREET

B. F. Butler Veteran Firemen's Association, Miss Mary A. Long.

BROADWAY.

O'Brien's drug store, Mrs. Peter Brady, Dennis Harrington, Fielding's fruit store, Anthony Lavery & Sons, Florence Murphy & co., Green's fish market, Martin Sullivan, Frank E. McNabb, Alice A. McNabb & Co., J. J. Kennedy & Co., Patrick Daly.

ADAMS STREET.

P. F. Cox & Co., John J. Sullivan.

SUFFOLK STREET.

Rose A. Riley, St. Patrick's parochial residence, Cornelius Daly, H. C. Riley, C. Y. M. I.

CROSS STREET.

Patrick Lyons.

MARKET STREET.

P. Keyes Jr. John Lennon Waverly lodge, E. A. McQuade, R. W. Stickney.

MERRIMACK STREET

A. J. Jordan, Frank Bicard, Pelletiers Dye, Pierre Bourgeois, George E. McKeon, P. F. Law, Thos. Fitzgerald, John Lee, Chas. Harrington, Lacy's drug store, O'Sullivan Bros., Harry L. Timmons, Merrimack Clothing Co., Knights of Columbus, Merrimac house, The Sun building, the Trivoli, T. H. Boyle, Dows' drug store, Lowell Gaslight company, D. L. Page company, A. G. Pollard, Joseph E. Shanley, Cook & Taylor, Bon Marche, Mme. Gergoire, White store, King & Co., Snyder Bros., M. L. Delude, Prince & Son, Bailey's drug store, Stehnert & Co., Gilbride's, O'Donnell Dry Goods Co., James J. Gallagher.

JOHN A. COTTER,
Marshal of Division 28, A. O. H.

TILDEN STREET.

John P. Connors.

WORTHEN STREET.

William S. Grady, L. P. Turcotte.

MOODY STREET.

John Donohoe.

DUTTON STREET.

Academy of Music.

BRIDGE STREET.

Cornock's bakery, Andrew F. Roach, parochial residences, corner Bridge and Sixth, C. W. Twombley, George H. Miller, Denis O'Brien, Martin E. Duffy, Lavery's bakery, S. F. Morin, Thomas J. Kennedy, Central Plumbing Co., J. W. McKenna, J. H. Hovey.

MAJOR P. J. GRAHAM,
Commander of Irish Volunteer Regiment.

JOHN STREET.

Rose Jordan Hartford, Nichols & Co., John Street Market.

MIDDLE STREET.

George L. Green, The Harvard.

CENTRAL STREET.

Central street, last night, not only boasted of Irish and American flags, but there were green lights in abundance. Some of the decorations were on a small scale but the majority of them were quite elaborate and the paraders today will march with the inspiration of lively music augmented by waving flags. Entering central street from Merrimack street and continuing to Davis square the following places attract the eye of their decorations.

Gerwaldt's Music store, Lowell Phonograph company, Lowell Inn, H. C. Merrows hall, William S. Greene, J. Y. Pillsbury, crockery store, T. F. McCue & Co., Jewelers, Peters & Sweeney, Adams Hotel, Howards Dick's, Lowell Meat, Grand Union Tea, Atlantic Bon Ton store, Cook Lecture, Lowell Dress Goods, crockery store. The fronts of the store were profusely decorated with green lights, green lights were in windows and standards and windows and sidewalks were banked with green. A Lowell hat and cap store, 70 Central st., Tower Corner Drug store, Harris' dining rooms.

GORHAM STREET

Wm. J. Collins, florist, Lynch Shoe store, D. Murphy, steamship agency, Little Appleton street, Gordon's lunch room, 66 Gorham street, Boston Beer garden, McGinley & Co., liquors, J. Devine dry goods, Miss Mary Gifford, dry goods, Mr. James Smith 90 Gorham street, Miss Catherine McCarthy, bakery, Markham & Co., liquors, Old Colony & Lowell & Co., Callahan, meat store, H. P. Carr, pool room, Gonzales cutlery, P. T. Donnelly, 115 Gorham street, Carroll's bakery, Joseph Flynn's meat market, C. L. Marren & Co., liquors, N. Sorogan tailor, Saunders' market, Sosie Cristofani, tea and coffee, D. T. McKinnon M. S. Pindel, phonographs and bicycles, James Carolan, confectioner, Vinzo Castellino, 20 Gorham street, M. McGinley, meat store, William Ross, meat store, Phelan's pharmacy, H. J. Murphy, 218 Gorham street, R. M. & A. Freeman, Kirby & O'Brien, Francis E. Flanders.

FRANK P. DUGGAN,
Marshal of Burke Temperance Institute.

A. J. Donohoe, The Hub, John Kinsella, J. H. Corbett, meat store, Edward Martin, groceries, A. B. Humphrey, livery stable, M. Murphy, funeral store, Joseph Leary, barber, St. Anthony's church, Sheridan's meat market, James E. Freeman, grocer, Mary Fitzgibbons, tenement, Runels block, John Stevens, jeweler, A. F. Story, drug store.

The residence of Patrick Whelen at the corner of Gorham and South streets is decked with American flags and a huge Irish flag was draped from the center window.

On Summer street, Thomas Stanton had a neat display of flags draped along the front of his home.

BACK CENTRAL STREET.

Patrick Welch, plumber, James McDermott, bakery.

Other decorations in Back Central street included those at J. J. O'Connell's undertaking establishment. Those decorations were very elaborate. The whole front of the building was draped with American flags entwined with green and a large picture of St. Patrick had its position above the door.

Peter McCusker, variety store.
Reardon Bros., shoe store.
Michael Murray, private residence, corner of Central and Abbott streets.
C. M. Allen, fish market.
E. J. McEllen, pawnbroker, decorations by John F. McNulty.
J. B. Albert Johnson, drug store.
Coughlin & Co., dry goods.
Opera House and Opera House cafe.
Pearson's drug store, corner of Central and Appleton streets.

Never before in the history of the old Washington Tavern, Lowell's oldest hostelry, has it bloomed with colors as bright as those that adorn it today. The decorations are among the most elaborate in the city and the arrangement of flags and streamers is decidedly artistic. Surmounting the piazza is a large picture of Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, the chief marshal, and a new cheer has been added to the appearance of George Washington whose face adorns the hanging sign that points the way to the tavern.

CHURCH STREET.

The large building occupied by Peter H. Donohoe and William A. Ingham is elaborately decorated. The entire front of the block is trimmed with American and Irish flags and streamers of red, white and blue.

Other places decorated on this street are those of Thomas Duhig, McNabb Bros., T. Holland, Daniel Lynch, A. A. Robinson, Thomas Fahey, Mary A. Mehan, Martin Conley, and the boarding house of John Brady. Across the street at the corner of Lawrence street lives of American Irish, Spanish flags.

CAPTAIN PATRICK FITZGERALD,
Of West Point Guards.

CONCORD STREET.

On Concord street the stores of Hugh F. Duggan, James J. Dehan and George Dawkins are fine and in the exterior with the national colors and the flag of Ireland.

On High street the most pretentious display is made by James Flood the front of whose store is covered with flags and bunting.

EAST MERRIMACK STREET

The Wood Pharmacy drug store has a fine window display and the exterior decorations are also well arranged. At the Merrimack bowling alleys and William V. Moriarty were the entire front of the place covered in bunting and flags, while long streamers are strung from the top to the bottom of the building.

ODD FELLOWS HALL.

The decorations on Hibernian hall were put up several days ago and were somewhat disarranged by the storm. Immense American and Irish flags were draped from window to window and between were hung other flags and streamers. The decorations on this building extended around the Prescott street side. James J. McManmon who occupies a store in this building had displayed the flag of Erin flanked by the stars and stripes over the entrance to the building. Two large American flags. The offices of John McManus and Edward Cawley in the same building were draped with green and white bunting with a large American flag hung for a centerpiece.

LADIES' AUXILIARY

PUTS OUT TWO FINE FLOATS IN THE PARADE.

While the men were more numerous in the parade the ladies were well represented and made a most striking appearance as they enhanced the beauty of the spectacle. The ladies headed by

contingent of the A. O. H. carried the Butler colors. Miss Mary Long was the leader of the ladies and they were a most imposing feature of the parade. The next in line among these were 2 girls representing Erin and Columbia, the latter in a green and white dress and each carrying a shield. Then came the Knights of Columbus with a float representing the Knights of Columbus building. Then came the Knights of Columbus with a float representing the Knights of Columbus building. Then came the Knights of Columbus with a float representing the Knights of Columbus building

LOCAL NEWS

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Fill your glasses to the brim
And drink this toast, I pray —
"Smoke Dowd's Honest Ten Cigar
On good St. Patrick's Day."

IRISH CONCERT

AT ASSOCIATE HALL TOMORROW EVENING.

Tomorrow evening at Associate hall a grand Irish concert will be given by the Knights of Columbus table at the coming festival in aid of St. John's hospital. The program will be as follows:

Medley of Irish airs
St. Peter's Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar club, under direction of Mr. Hovey.
Solo, "Come Back, Kathleen"
Master Gerald Beane
Solo, Selected.....Mr. Thomas Bedliger
Violin solo, "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Hall"
Mr. Charles King
Solo, "The Last Rose of Summer"
Miss Teresa Mahoney.
Reading, Selected..Miss Lillian O'Brien
Solo, "Believe Me" ..Eugene McCarthy
Violin solo, selected
Miss Agnes Williams
Solo, "The Wearing of the Green"
Mr. D. J. Donahue.
Solo, "Killarney"
Miss Margaret Finnagan.
Solo, "Ireland, I Love Thee"
Mr. Frank O'Connor.
Solo, "Come Back to Erin"
Miss Mabel Lee.
Reading, "Shamus O'Brien"
Mr. James Coughlin.
Grand chorus, Medley of Irish Airs"
Chorus of sixty voices, under direction of Mr. Courtney.
Accompanists, Miss Euretta Main, Mr. John Kelty.

BANK CASHIER

ARRESTED ON A CHARGE OF EMBEZZLEMENT.

HAZLETON, Pa., March 17.—F. M. Everett, cashier of the First National bank of Freeland, was arrested here last night on the charge of embezzling $56,900 from the institution. William Beckley, a lawyer, of Bloomsburg, also was arrested on the charge of conspiracy. Both warrants were sworn out by A. S. Oswald, president of the bank, before U. S. Commissioner Hill, who committed the accused men without bail for a further hearing tomorrow when a national bank examiner will be here.

HIBERNIAN ORDER

DANIEL J. MURPHY, THE ONLY SURVIVOR OF THE SEVEN ORIGINAL HIBERNIANS IN LOWELL.

Sketch of the Organization in Lowell

The organization which has done more to unite the Irish race than any other is undoubtedly the Ancient Order of Hibernians, so prominently represented in today's parade. Prior to their organization in this country the Irish were divided, the representatives of the different provinces and counties holding aloof from each other until the establishment of the divisions of the Hibernians brought them together under a common head.

The first division of the organization to be established in this city held its first meeting on Feb. 16th, 1867, and of the seven original members one only is alive today. The lone survivor is Mr. Daniel J. Murphy of Walker street and a prominent member of St. Patrick's parish. Mr. Murphy came to Lowell from the far famed county Kerry 56 years ago and has been prominently identified with the affairs of the city for nearly half a century. He was one of the first to take up the matter of organizing the Hibernians in this city and on the date above mentioned he and six others were initiated into Division 1 by the state officers who came from Lawrence. The first man to be initiated was the late John Klinos. Mr. Murphy was the second, and the other five were Messrs. Patrick McAvennie, James Maher, Michael Moran, Michael McCort and Patrick Curren. Although the organization started with only seven members others soon came in and in a year there were 65 members. The organization was but one year old when it met with a serious set-back through a misunderstanding which for a time seriously threatened its future. At a mission given in St. Patrick's church the preachers during the year 1869 denounced the order and demanded that the members leave it forthwith under pain of getting under the ban of the church. As a result 30 members resigned, while Mr. Murphy with 32 others remained in the order, confident that they were right. The matter was later put before Archbishop Williams, then bishop of Boston, with the result that the bishop not only backed up the Hibernians but advised his pastors to promote its membership among the men of their parishes and it was with great pleasure a few weeks afterward that the late Fr. Michael O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick's church, announced the bishop's decision to his parishioners at all the masses. Archbishop Williams' advocacy of the cause of the organization at this particular time, when it was looked on with suspicion in different parts of the country, did more to build up the organization throughout the country than any other agency.

Mr. Murphy was elected the first state delegate of the order in Massachusetts and attended the conventions in New York in 1869 and '70. He organized the first division in Fitchburg and in the early days of the order went all over the state organizing divisions and attending the early conventions. Of late years he has not been actively connected with the work of the order but still retains his membership in Division 2. The first division was organized in old Appleton hall in Central street, where Putnam's clothing store is now located.

DIVISION 1, A. O. H.

Lowell is one of the greatest centres of Hibernian activity in the country, considering its population. More than that it is affiliated with the Middlesex county societies which outnumber those of any other single county in the United States. There are in this city five hustling divisions of the A. O. H., the first organized in 1867, and the last in 1890.

Division one is the oldest. It was organized on Feb. 16, 1867, starting off with 15 charter members. At one time it had a numerical strength of 500 members and a bank credit of $7000. At present there are 104 members in good standing and the division appeared today in new regalia.

The officers of the division are: President, John J. O'Hare; vice-president, Patrick McGovern; recording secretary, John G. McCarthy; financial secretary, [illegible] Kelly; treasurer, [illegible]; spiritual director, [illegible]; sentinel, [illegible]; marshal, [illegible]; guards, [illegible]; trustees, [illegible] John J. O'Hare.

DIVISION 2, A. O. H.

The second division of Hibernians in [illegible] was organized on Feb. 21, 1869, and a charter was signed by John J. [illegible], Owen D. Ring, John F. McCarty, [illegible] Tobin, Daniel D. [illegible], [illegible] Crowley, Michael H. McCarty and J. [illegible]. The division [illegible] a membership of 275 and is officered by the following: President, John J. Hennessey; vice-president, John J. [illegible]; recording secretary, [illegible]; financial secretary, [illegible]; treasurer, Michael [illegible]; [illegible] committee, James [illegible], Dan Welch, Philip Harvey, Michael Donohue, Robert J. Harkins.

DIVISION 8, A. O. H.

The present membership of Division 8 was organized on April 23, [illegible] this division, although the youngest in this city, has made a record unsurpassed by any other division. Much of the success of this division has been due to the efforts of those who have served it in official capacities. The present officers are: President, John C. Bourke; vice-president, Michael Gorman; recording secretary, Thomas Reynolds; financial secretary, Thomas Dorsey; treasurer, Nicholas Scoggin.

DIVISION 11, A. O. H.

On July 15 of the present year, Division 11 will celebrate the 33rd anniversary of its organization, for the first meeting of the division was held on July 18, 1873. It shares the honors with Division 8 of being the largest division in the city, having 200 members on its rolls. The board of officers is composed of the following: President, John F. Kinsella; vice-president, John Tuite; recording secretary, Patrick Connelly; financial secretary, William Nelson; treasurer, John Hickey; deputy, James F. Miskella; standing committee, Daniel Whelley, Patrick Hickey, Daniel Sullivan, Michael Welch.

DIVISION 28, A. O. H.

One of the charter members of Division 28 was Humphrey O'Sullivan, the chief marshal of today's demonstration. He was the first recording secretary of this division and his brother, James O'Sullivan, is known as the "father" of the division. The organization occurred in April, 1889, and the first board of officers was composed of the following: President, James H. Carmichael; secretary, Humphrey O'Sullivan; treasurer, Patrick Moran. The division has 200 members and the present officers are: President, Michael Hessian; vice-president, Michael McDermott; recording secretary, Owen Healey; financial secretary, Patrick Wrenn; treasurer, Edward F. Slattery; spiritual director, Rev. William O'Brien.

IRISH PRIMATE

Sends Greeting to All Irishmen

ROME, March 17.—There were abundant shamrock decorations in the three Irish Catholic churches here in honor of St. Patrick's day. Cardinal Logue, archbishop of Armagh and primate of Ireland, celebrated a pontifical mass, delivered a short address and sent his greetings not only to the Irish in Ireland but to those across the seas.

69 YEARS OLD

GROVER CLEVELAND WILL CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY TOMORROW.

NEW YORK, March 17.—The Tribune says:

Former President Grover Cleveland went to Florida about a week ago and expects to stay there until the middle of April. He has cut himself off from all communication with his business associates and will not concern himself with the affairs of the Equitable until his return. There will be no meeting of the Equitable trustees while he is away. Mr. Cleveland will be 69 years old tomorrow and will celebrate the day quietly in his retreat on the border of the Everglades.

RECORD TIME

MADE BY THE CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY CREW.

LONDON, March 17.—A record time row made by the Cambridge university crew in a practice trial for the Oxeam boat race has raised a curious discussion. The Cambridge crew was supposed to be a rather inferior one until the record was made. It appears that the crew has been largely dieted on eggs, while the Oxford oarsmen are inclined to taboo them and hence a hot discussion has arisen as to the value of eggs in athletic training.

EX-SENATOR GRAY DEAD.

WALPOLE, Mass., March 17.—Robert S. Gray, former state senator and state representative, died at his home here today, aged 57 years. He was president and treasurer of the S. Gray Co., dyers and bleachers, and one of the leading citizens of the town. He leaves a widow, one son and two daughters. He was a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company of Boston.

ST. ANDREW'S BROTHERHOOD.

NEW BEDFORD, March 17.—The New England convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in session at St. James' Episcopal church here began today's program at 8 o'clock with a celebration of the Holy Communion. At 10 o'clock the pastor of the church, Rev. H. E. Robbins, delivered an address of welcome which was followed by reports of the general officers. At 11 o'clock a general conference on the organization was held, the principal speakers being President Robert H. Gardiner and Secretary Hubert Carleton.

BILLERICA

Members of Asa Pollard lodge, I. O. O. F. M. U., are making preparations for their minstrel show and entertainment which is to be held shortly after Easter. The event will be held in Thomas Talbot Memorial hall.

A grand reunion of the members of St. Andrew's church of North Billerica will be held tonight under the direction of Rev. Lawrence J. Tighe, O. M. I.

OLDEST IRISHMAN

Mr. Peter Riley is 90 Years of Age

PETER RILEY, THE OLDEST IRISHMAN IN LOWELL AND THE OLDEST HIBERNIAN IN AMERICA.

And Rides in the Parade Today—He is the Oldest Hibernian in America Having Joined the Order 72 Years Ago — He Has Resided in Lowell for 61 Years

Seventy-two years a Hibernian, 61 years a resident of Lowell, 50 years a voter in Lowell and within three months of being 90 years, is the record of Mr. Peter Riley, of 61 Butterfield street, the grand old Irishman of Lowell.

Mr. Riley has participated in St. Patrick's Day processions before some of the "old men" in line were born and it was with great pleasure that he accepted the invitation of Chief Marshal O'Sullivan, a neighbor of his, by the way, to ride with the "Seggarths" in the parade today.

"Sure," said Mr. Riley, "t'would be a shame not to be able to ride when you are to be in such fine company." And the old gentleman carefully and tenderly handled up by his faithful daughters lest he catch cold during the long ride, took his place in the parade at the appointed hour and none of all the gay cavalcade was prouder.

Mr. Riley is a most interesting old gentleman. He is a striking exception to the scriptural age limitation and to Shakespeare's seventh age for while twenty years beyond the allotted threescore and ten he is today happy, contented, in good health and buoyant spirits and has practically none of the infirmities that attend old age generally. His memory is good and his sight and hearing perfect, and he has gone through life without ever putting on a pair of eye-glasses, and withal he is a man who worked hard most of his life at the rough work of a stone mason. He attributes his old age to the fact that he didn't dissipate in his younger days.

Mr. Riley was born June 1, 1816, in the parish of Aughavass, County Leitrim, where he lived until he was 29 years of age, when he embarked on a sailing vessel for the great American land of promise.

In August, 1834, when he was 18 years of age, a division of Hibernians was organized in his native town and he became a charter member. Thus he has been a Hibernian almost 72 years, for he has never left the organization. After coming to this country in 1845 for 20 years he sent his dues by mail to the old country, and when division 1, A. O. H., was organized in this city he transferred his membership from the division in his native place to the local organization, becoming one of the earliest members. He was a regular attendant at all its meetings until within a few years when rheumatism made it a hardship for him to climb the long flight of stairs to Hibernian hall. In the days gone by he was one of the most popular members of the division and the life of its social gatherings. Possessed of a natural vein of wit and humor, he was also musically inclined and division 1's soirees were never complete without the happy presence of Peter Riley.

Mr. Riley upon sailing to this country came direct to Lowell and has resided here ever since. He made the trip to this country in five weeks and three days, the time in those days being considered a quick trip. He went to work as a stone mason for William E. Livingston, "Old King" Livingston, as he was called, father of the present William E. Livingston, the latter now an old man himself. At that time Mr. Livingston was the leading building contractor in these parts and built most of the mills here. Mr. Riley recalls being sent to Lawrence by Mr. Livingston to do a job, and finding Lawrence to be a settlement of only three houses. He worked on the construction of most of the local mills and also upon St. Patrick's church at which he has been a constant attendant since that parish was established and during the dark days of Know-nothingism did sentinel duty with other faithful parishioners at its doors. He was employed on the building of the Boston and Lowell railroad and the tunnel in the rear of the northern depot.

He worked in 1845 on the foundation of the five-story brick mill in Jackson street which on April 1st of the following year collapsed one morning just as the people had started to go to work. Mr. Riley was entering the Hamilton mill yard at the time and he saw the accident.

He tells of an interesting story of how the brick from the mill fell into the canal running along Jackson street and choked it up so that all the mills in the city were shut off from a water supply and had to close down down until the canal was cleared out. At that time the Western canal was the only one in operation. Other canals were built soon after and Mr. Riley was employed on the mason work of all of them. He worked nineteen months on the Moody street canal in later years.

When Mr. Riley came here he took up his residence in the old "Acre" district, then an exclusively Irish settlement, and he has never left it, living almost within the shadow of the church which he helped to erect, through all these years. When he came to Lowell, Fr. James McDermott was at St. Mary's, afterward St. Patrick's, and Fr. Conway at St. Peter's, and a little wooden structure served as a church. There was not another Catholic church north of Lowell this side of Canada. A missionary named Fr. Italy travelled through the settlements in New Hampshire and Vermont singing mass in houses, meeting places, etc.

For 40 years Mr. Riley has not missed an election and though some few years ago he stated that he would not go to vote any more, when the carriage called at his door on election day he always responded with "Well, this will be the last time" and went to the polls. He was a staunch democrat and voted for Mayor Casey last election day. He was a great admirer of the late General Butler from Gov. Gardner's time when General Butler in the legislature fought to have the "reading and writing clause" as it was called modified in the law relative to citizenship. Through General Butler's effort the bill was passed with all aliens who came here before 1855 exempt from the "reading and writing clause" which made it necessary for all applicants for citizenship to be able to read and write. During the famine years thousands came here from Ireland who were unable to read and write but who possessed of good intelligence, honesty and perseverance, even though without education, soon began to make a success of life in the new country. All these would have been debarred from becoming citizens but for the championship of their cause by General Butler.

In 1855 Mr. Riley married a Miss Mary Riley who came here at even an earlier date than himself. His wife, who died 13 years ago, came here in 1836, the year in which Lowell was incorporated as a city, and she was present at the inauguration of Dr. Elisha Bartlett, the first mayor of Lowell. Eight children blessed their union, and of these three are alive, Misses Mary, Margaret and Annie Riley with whom and one grandson, the old gentleman has a cosy home in Butterfield street.

BIG LINER

PASSED CLOSE TO AN ABANDONED STEAMER.

PLYMOUTH, Eng., March 17.—The American line steamer St. Louis from New York March 10, which arrived today reports having passed March 13 close to an abandoned steamer believed to be the Dunmore (Br.) from Cardiff for Newport News, before reported abandoned Jan. 19. The derelict was directly in the track of the St. Louis but the clear weather enabled her to avoid a collision.

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SHOT THREE MEN

Negro Just Served Sentency for Murder

NEW YORK, March 17.—Ed Lucas, a negro ex-convict who served a 20-years sentence in Kentucky for murder, last night shot three men in the Crescent cafe, 60 West 53d street. The injured men are John Walsh and James Scott, two policemen and John Jones, manager of the cafe. The most serious injury was sustained by Scott, who was shot in the right shoulder.

Lucas had ben drinking and was ordered out of the saloon whereupon he pulled successively three revolvers and emptied them at his victims. There were fifty people in the cafe at th etime and a general panic took place.

Lucas, still shooting, backed out of the place and escaped. He was fired at several times as he disappeared down the street.

OPERA HOUSE

Charles H. Yale's entertaining "Devil's Auction" began a two nights' engagement, and with a matinee for this afternoon, at the Opera House last night, before a fair-sized audience. The "Devil's Auction" has been visiting our city for quite a number of years, this being the twenty-fourth version, and has always given the best of satisfaction. This year's production is on a larger scale than any of its predecessors, and last night's audience watched with great delight the trials of Carlos, the poor shepherd, in his efforts to win the fair Madeline for his bride which he accomplished in the end, thanks to the good will of Crystaline, the fairy queen. The bulk of the comedy was allotted to George M. Topne, who as Tobey, a donkey, afterwards transformed into a man, had all sorts of accidents, his scene in "The Magic Picture Gallery" being especially delightful. In the course of the evening several novelties were introduced. Leon Pam, in imitations of Anna Held, George Cohen and Marie Dressler, was very successful. Marie Elmer in vocal selections and the European Grotesque artists, Les Fales Chatnos, were also very favorably received. The performance closed with a magnificent transformation scene entitled Aurora.

MOVING PICTURES NEXT SUNDAY

The program of high class moving pictures to be offered by Mr. Archie J. Shepard at the Opera House tomorrow afternoon and evening will by far eclipse anything so far shown at this theatre in the way of animated pictures. The latest dramatic productions, together with a list of excellent comedy films, interspersed with magnificently illustrated songs. All of the pictures presented here by Mr. Shepard come direct from his New York company which has been playing all season at the Fourteenth street theatre.

HUNTLEY COMPANY

Charmion, the daring and graceful trapeze performer will be the special attraction with the Huntley Stock company all of the coming week at the Lowell Opera House. Other vaudeville features that will appear between the acts are Boutilio and Stevens, two handsome young ladies in a novelty singing and dancing act entitled "Scenes in a Wisteria Bower" and The Marvellus Renos, comedy acrobats.

The pretty pastoral play, Hazel Kirke, will be the Monday afternoon bill and in the evening the company will present one of their greatest successes, For Liberty and Love. It deals with the Cuban struggle for independence from Spain and depicts in a thorough manner all of the hatred, love and jealousies which were intermingled with patriotism during that period. Raymond Whittaker who was in the support of Blanche Walsh last season will appear in the leading role.

Among the other plays to be seen here during the talented company's engagement are: Capt. Swift, Roanoke, Knobs O'Tennessee, The New Dominion, Woman Against Woman, The Black Flag and Rip Van Winkle with Mr. Huntley in the title role.

A limited number of ladies' tickets will be issued for the Monday evening performance.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

One of the most amusing features in newspaper work is the struggle of the intelligent compositor to correct what he thinks are mistakes in "copy." An instance of this sometimes misdirected endeavor is found in the way the famous Karno London Comedy troupe, who come to Hathaway's theatre next week have had their title of "Mumming Birds" changed when the announcements appeared in the papers. It takes all kinds of watchful care to prevent the man behind the typesetting machine from designating them as "Humming Birds," and they have experienced this a number of times. The Karno troupe presents a burlesque on a vaudeville performance, under the title, "A Night in a London Music Hall," which is a veritable whirlwind of fun throughout the thirty minutes required to present it. When the curtain goes up, the stage is set in exact imitation of a music hall, with proscenium boxes, curtain and scenery. Ladies in evening dress, a father and his little boy, and an intoxicated society man enter, and take seats in the boxes. The first performer is a male singer, who sings a topical song, with verses on topics suggested by the audience. A very passee prima donna follows. Like the previous performer, she is not received with favor, as her voice is heart-rending, and as the bad little boy and the inebriated man object to her strenuously, she is forced to leave the stage. A juggler comes on, and induces the bad little boy to assist him in his act. The boy mixes up things badly by his mischievousness, with comical results. A wonderful wrestler, "The Terrible Turkey," is introduced, and makes a cash offer to anyone who can throw him. A young man from the orchestra volunteers but loses, and the drunken man tumbles into the ring. He has a ludicrous encounter with the wrestler, and gets the best of him. There is a rustic quartet, which is driven from the stage while trying to sing "Hall Smiling Morn." The only act favorably received is that of a singing soubrette, whose saucciness sends the little boy and inebriate into ecstacies. The fact that there are 14 people in the company gives an idea of the heavy expense involved in securing it for presentation in this city. The salary is double that ever paid for an act here, and large audiences at every performance will be required to meet the expense.

Godfrey and Henderson, two talented actors, present an act unequalled in its dainty and artistic comedy, entitled "A Daughter of the Gods." A young man who wanders into a friend's studio during the latter's absence, finds the room tenanted by a mummy case, the coffin of a long departed Egyptian princess. While he waits he smokes a pipe of hasheesh, an eastern drug, to see what it is like. Then he sees the princess emerge from the mummy case. After much deliciously funny conversation, he falls in love with her, but she is forced to part from him at the stroke of 12 and the young men dashes for the pipe again, in the hope that the effect will cause her to reappear. Gavin and Platt, famous all over the vaudeville circuit for their tuneful and artistic singing, will be enjoyed in their merry skit "A Stolen Kid." Their act is a gypsy episode, with appropriate setting and costumes, and they have a clever assistant in their smart bull terrier, Peaches, who assumes the part of a gont and plays it well. Gildea and Fox as an American and a Jew, give an entertaining comedy act, brilliant with song, dance and parody. John LeClair is well known as an adept in the art of juggling, and his work is an example of the wonderful proficiency which can be obtained in difficult juggling. Another individual on the bill who is bound to find favor with next week's audiences, is pert and pretty Josie Davis, most winsome of singing comediennes. Miss Davis has a pleasing voice, a catchy repertoire of the newest song hits, and in addition, an ingratiating personality which at once places her on good terms with her hearers. As an expert at tambourine spinning, V. P. Woodward stands in a class by himself, and the agreeable novelty of his offering is enhanced by the extraordinary skill which the displays. A new series of views will be shown by the ever popular vitagraph.

The ladies are again reminded that bargain matinees are given every afternoon when a reserved seat may be secured for the admission price of ten cents.

The usual popular cinograph concerts will be given on Sunday afternoon and evening, when in addition to the interesting pictures a number of recitations will be given by members of the company.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

But two performances remain of the Little Minister, one of the finest attractions that has been presented at the Academy of Music this season. The audience that will not begin until circle 8, is paying the patrons of the theatre an opportunity to review the St. Patrick's play prior to going to the performance. Next week the Academy of Music stock company will present the heating four episodes "Are You a Mason?" under the direction of Mr. Von Mitchell, this play which made its first appearance in a few seasons ago was a pronounced success from its start and has drawn big houses wherever it has been presented, being its first presentation in stock. The play is bounded of fun both in dialogue and situations. While a farce comedy and written closely to create laughter is the tone of the house play which too often passes for wit and humor on the stage. The play is remarkably funny in itself without any outside applications to create mirth. The company has carefully rehearsed the play and the usual care has been given to the scenery and costumes.

The management has decided to discontinue the Sunday concerts during the season of Lent and hence there will be no concert tomorrow. These concerts have been run throughout the season for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Patrick's church which netted a large amount of money from them with which the members did a vast amount of good among the poor of St. Patrick's parish.

DOLAN DEPOSED

United Mine Workers Stand by Mitchell

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 17.—The special national convention of the United Mine Workers of America yesterday afternoon indorsed the action of the executive board in sustaining the finding of President John Mitchell in ousting Patrick Dolan and Frank Bellingham from the presidency and vice presidency of District No. 5, Western Pennsylvania. As far as the national organization is concerned this is the end of Dolan's case.

Only the pleas of President Mitchell and of Secretary W. D. Wilson prevented the expulsion of Dolan from the organization. Dolan was seated as a delegate in the convention as was Bellingham.

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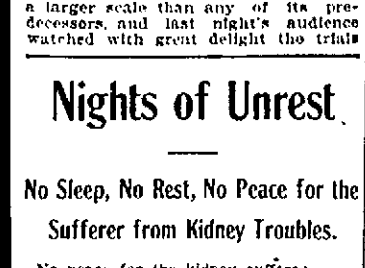

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If you are afflicted with catarrh of the head, nose and throat, catarrh of the stomach, consumption in the first stages, bronchitis or asthma, rheumatism, diseases of the liver or kidneys and bladder, headaches or backache, habitual constipation, disease of the blood or skin, acute or chronic ills of men, such as nervous debility, gleet, strictures, prostatitis or inflamed discharge of the ear, eye, nose or otherwise, see Dr. Temple before going elsewhere. All medicine furnished patients; privacy is thus assured.

You can consult with Dr. Temple —Free of Charge—at his office, 97 Central Street, Mansur Block, every day, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; evenings, 7 to 8. Sundays, 10 a.m. to 12. The price for treatment and medicine is within the reach of all, paying as able.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE.

[illegible] M. Cadrow and Mary A. [illegible] of Lowell, in the [illegible] Middlesex and Commonwealth [illegible] now of residence unknown [illegible]

[illegible] hereby notified that I intend [illegible] the mortgage of personal [illegible] by you to W. P. Prentiss [illegible] Lowell, dated July 5th, 190[illegible] [illegible] the Records of Personal [illegible] Clerk's office of the city of [illegible] N. 56, Page 264 for breach [illegible] thereof, and that I [illegible] this notice of my intention [illegible] said mortgage with [illegible] thereof with the [illegible] and property in the [illegible] the City of Lowell, and [illegible] redeem said mortgage [illegible] sixty days after the [illegible] notice.

[illegible] P. PRENTISS, [illegible] said Mortgage [illegible] March 10, 1906.

Lowell, Mass.

WANTED

WANTED—[illegible] by the day or week, washing [illegible] ironing. Address Alice J. Ran[illegible]

WANTED—[illegible] Hartley is in the city [illegible] of Worthen st. Mrs. [illegible] for her children, good [illegible]

WANTED—To lease a small store in a good location with basement, must be in good repair, near the business portion of city, at a reasonable rent. Address S. Sun Office.

WANTED—Edge setter, heel scourer, McKay nailer. Apply to Dodge Bros. Newburyport, Mass.

WANTED—Washing, ironing, or house cleaning, good dressmaker by hand or machine, could work between 8 and 4. Inquire Mrs. Def[illegible] 150 Broadway.

WANTED—Washing and ironing 50c a dozen for plain pieces. Inquire 8 Parson's Court, M[illegible] st.

WANTED—A lodging house in a good locality. No board. Must not be over $400. Apply at once to Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

WANTED—A first class lodging house. Must be in best of condition and in good locality. Price no object. Will pay good money for the right place. See immediately Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

WANTED—All persons to know, that wood is healthier than coal, and cheaper to burn in mild weather. I always have a good supply of all kinds ready for prompt delivery. Wholesale or retail. A. A. Brown, 73 Island st. Tel. 1574-2.

YES, WE BUY, sell and exchange second hand furniture. Boston Furniture Store, 183 Middlesex st.

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WANTED—Live poultry, also hen houses or sheds suitable for same. Box 115, Chelmsford Centre.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture, roll top desks and show cases. 123 Fletcher st.

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BOARDERS WANTED—Pensioners, both male and female, good home for winter, on line of electrics, a few miles out. Address D. L. T., 65 Merrimack st., Lowell, Care H. C. Wilder.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line, take Boston car.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A nice 7 octave Stickel & Son square piano, carved legs, in good condition, $15 cash at 45 Lawrence st.

LICENSE, lease and furniture of 40-room hotel, near New Haven. For particulars address Palmatier, 342 Malley Bldg., New Haven, Conn.

FOR SALE—New upright piano, all modern improvements, handsome case, pure sweet tone, $75 less than dealers prices. 519 Westford st.

FOR SALE—A fine black cocker spaniel pup, 5 months old, house broken, a little beauty. Ed. McLaughlin, R. D. No. 2, Nashua, N. H.

FOR SALE—Homing pigeons. Apply 40 Hudson st.

FOR SALE—Small bakery on Gorham st. Good reasons for selling. Apply at bakery, 145 Lakeview ave.

NEWLY HATCHED CHICKENS for sale Saturday afternoon at 24 Epping st., Wigginville.

FOR SALE—One four-horse power double cylinder engine and boiler, fine quilter, two looms with shafting and pulleys, all in good condition, cheap for cash. Address 59 Pine st.

CANARIES for sale, males and females, ready to mate. Call evenings, 96 Cross st.

FOR SALE—Two check machines, good as new, price reasonable. Address T. J. M., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Show cases, bought and sold at A. Laflamme's, 520 Middlesex st., opp. Grand st.

FOR SALE—A horse, harness and wagon at a big bargain. Inquire at 25 Cross st. Call at once.

FOR SALE—Onions 50c per bushel, 15c per peck. You should see the big bags of turnips, beets, parsnips, carrots, cabbage and onions Pike is giving for 10c. Twice as many as you can buy anywhere else for the same money.

FOR SALE—3000 feet of 2x12 and 3x12 floor joists, also 3 long, heavy flights of stairs and the glass front formerly the Harry Richardson bakery. Inquire of Contractor, Barristers hall.

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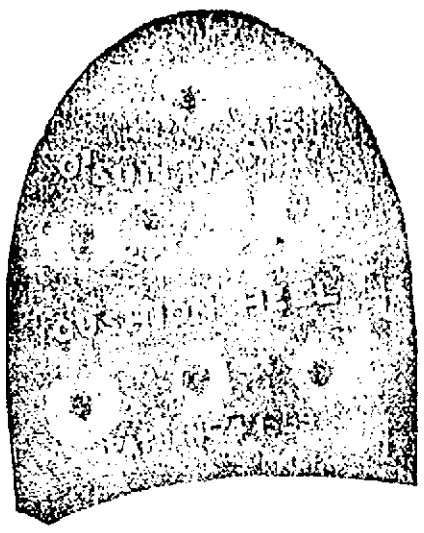
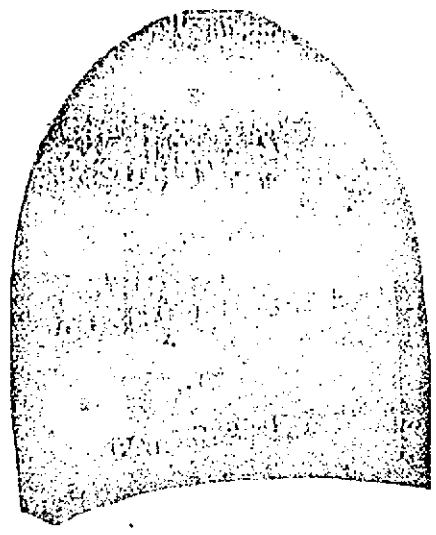
THE STORY OF THE HEEL OF NEW RUBBER



Way back in the seventies, when I first entered the Shoe Business, some of my customers, notably Physicians and the local Manufacturing Agents, at the beginning of each winter, had our store equip their winter shoes with rubber soles and rubber heels. The soles were cut from what was then and now known as rubber soling, the heels were cut from rubber belting. In order to get these heels, one had to buy a piece of rubber as long as the two heels and as wide as one heel. This rubber was bought by the weight, and of necessity, in attaching this rubber, the corners had to go to waste. This rubber attached used to cost the customer alone 75c. They were attached by cement and three screws, one at the corner of each breast and one at the back of heel. Of necessity, the screws took away from whatever resiliency the rubber had. This thing had gone along for years, and it occurred to me that there was a whole lot of waste of rubber, and all the resiliency was lost, and therefore undertook to mould a rubber heel that would fit the leather heel exactly, have no waste and countersunk the attaching nails, so that when the heels were



attached, and all the time they were being worn, the attaching nail did not retard the resiliency, in-as-much as it was sunk as close as it would hold to the lower surface of the rubber heel.

In order to carry out our idea of what the people wanted, we adopted the standard of New Rubber to cushion the heel of the customer and reduced the price to 50c.

In the course of time, the people began to appreciate these heels because they were elastic, easy to walk on, they saved strength, saved the nerves, and they wore longer than leather heels. We then made them for ladies, always maintaining the same high standard of rubber that we started out with and believed the public required. The fame of these heels soon spread to Boston. The firm of Thayer McNeil was the first Boston firm to recognize their value, and from there their fame spread all over New England and the west, to the Coast, to England, to Australia and New Zealand, to China and Japan, South America, South Africa, and to our neighbors up in Canada.

Then, a man with a substitute came along, but he did not make the heel of New Rubber. He thought all he had to do was to make something in the shape of a heel and that he could sell it for a lower price, and the public would never know, but alas for the man with the substitute--after a while, the public found out that his heel did not wear and the man with the substitute fell by the wayside. He had followers and a dozen of them came along they are in the market still, but they are gradually fading and dropping out of sight before the pioneer heel of New Rubber that is backed by the greatest publicity of the magazine, newspaper and street car variety that has ever been applied to any one single article.

Why do the O'Sullivan's spend so much money in advertising their heels if they, with their thirty odd years of successful business life, spend a hundred thousand dollars a year in advertising their rubber heels, would they do it if they had not an article that they knew and felt had merit in it, and were convinced that the people wanted it.

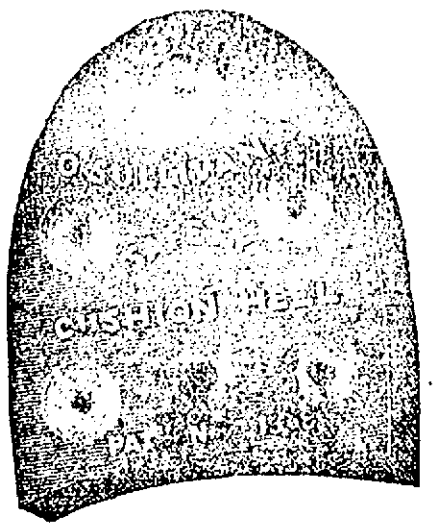
The rubber heel business created a new industry, they are glad to have followers, it is a compliment to their courage, but let the concern that attempts to follow them in the rubber heel business, be prepared to procure a barrel of good United States currency, or they will be very apt to lose what they put in. The rubber heel business is a vast industry and no small concern has any license to enter it, because it involves vast publicity and business experience that is only possessed by those who participate in the business from the beginning.

Recently, on a visit to New York, the representative of the O'Sullivan Rubber Company called on Messrs. Creamer & Goodman, of the firm of Morse & Rogers, and Mr. Goodman told the O'Sullivan representative that within a few days, a Rubber Heel Manufacturer had been in to sell him some of his substitute heels. He detailed to him all the good qualities of the heel that he had to offer, how much cheaper it was than O'Sullivan's, that it was equally as good, that he could make some profit on it--all of which Mr. Goodman agreed to. Then the substitute man asked him "how many heels he wanted to order?" Mr. Goodman replied, "If you will go out and spend seventy-five or one hundred thousand dollars in advertising your heels, the same as the O'Sullivan Rubber Co. does, you can come to me and I will give you an order." Said the substitute man, "If I had that amount of money, I would not be selling rubber heels," and that is how the matter stands today, every good article will be substituted and as the old story goes, substitution is the veriest kind of flattery.

If any genius can make and present to the O'Sullivan Rubber Co. a rubber heel that has got more merit than theirs, he is liable to receive as much as ten thousand dollars for his invention.

In 1898, the O'Sullivan Rubber business was incorporated under the name of the O'Sullivan Rubber Company, with J. Munn Andrews as business manager. The stock of the company has never been offered for sale to any one, and is not liable to be. Under the management of Mr. Andrews the business has assumed large proportions.

PRIZES AWARDED



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PRIZES FOR ADVERTISERS.

With a view of embellishing the advertising pages of the Christmas number of the S. F. News Letter and encouraging our advertisers to supply artistic and attractive copy, four prizes, aggregating in value $1[illegible] to advertising space in the S. F. News Letter during 1906, will be awarded for the four most attractive advertisements published.

The copy may be full page, half page or quarter page, and will be printed in two colors.

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3d Prize. Quarter page every other week, 1 year $216.00
4th Prize. Quarter page once a month, 1 year $102.50

COMMITTEE ON PRIZES.

Publishers of "Printers' Ink," New York.
Publishers of "Ad Sense," Chicago.
Publishers of "Profitable Advertising," Boston.

Advertising rates same as Xmas News Letter of 1904.

Full page ..... $[illegible]
Half page 70.00
Quarter page 55.00
Type size of paper ..... 7x10½ inches
Edition ..... 65,000 copies

The Christmas S. F. News Letter each year is acknowledged the most artistic and attractive publication issued on the Pacific coast.

The 1905 issue will surpass all our previous efforts.

It will be printed in colors throughout on heavy coated paper, and profusely illustrated, enclosed in beautifully illustrated covers, with articles, stories and poems by the best writers on the Pacific coast.

The large edition and the fact that every feature insures the number being read with interest from beginning to end, will make this issue the best advertising medium of the season.

Besides with a little advertising ingenuity, you may have an attractive advertisement for 1906 without cost.

F. MARRIOTT,
Pub. S. F. News Letter.
[illegible] St., San Francisco.

San Francisco News Letter,
San Francisco, Cal.
February 2, 1906.

Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan,
O'Sullivan Rubber Co.,
Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—I am pleased to congratulate you on the fact that your advertisement for O'Sullivan's Heels in the Christmas number of the S. F. News Letter is awarded the first prize as being the most attractive advertisement in that issue.

The delay in the decision was partly caused by the lack of promptness in attending to the matter by those who were requested to give their opinion, and from the fact that no two agreed as to which advertisements should receive the prizes. We therefore submitted the eight advertisements which were selected as most attractive to the Cooper Advertising Agency of this city, and the advertisement for O'Sullivan's Heels was selected as being the best.

I shall feel obliged if you will furnish me with copy for this advertisement to occupy ¼ page for one year, to be inserted in the News Letter. The size is [illegible] inches wide by [illegible] inches deep.

With best wishes,
Very truly yours,
(signed) F. MARRIOTT.

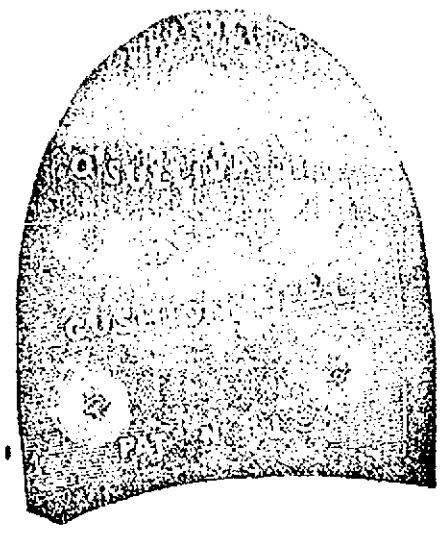
Appleton's Popular Science Monthly
Appleton's Magazine
D. Appleton & Co., Publishers,
436 Fifth Ave., New York
London Office: 25 Bedford St. (Covent Garden).
Cable Address, Hilandero

November 15, 1905.

Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan,
O'Sullivan Rubber Co.,
Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—It may interest you to learn that the holiday advertisement of O'Sullivan's Heels, appearing in our November issue, with 1,[illegible] the first prize in our Advertising Prize Contest. By this I mean they received a larger number of votes than any other half-page advertisement. Pyrolin ran them a close second. I hope to send you these votes as soon as the Advertising Committee have gone over them and selected what, in their opinion, are the best reasons given. Announcement will appear in our January issue.

Yours very truly,
DAVID D. LEE,
Ass't Advertising Mgr.



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